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ALLIES STILL DESPERATELY FIGHTING HOLD FAST

NEW ARMY SENT TO FRONT

Americans to Be Thrown Into Cauldron of Death With Advance of Reserves

BY CARL D. GROAT
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
WASHINGTON, March 27.—The allies are about to throw into the west front death cauldron a mass of fresh and strong troops.

This information was forthcoming from reliable sources here today as the struggle appeared to be in a somewhat slackened transition stage.

American forces are already taking a valiant share in the Roye-Noyon vortex and it is believed that even further American strength is included in the fresh reserves to be hurled at the Germans. The numbers of the allied reserve cannot be revealed under the censorship, but it can be said that this force is such that military men believe the foe will be held and perhaps hurled back.

Military strategy has prevented the use of this reserve before now. Within a few days, its use will be far more effective than if it had been cast into the struggle while the German push was at its height, experts say.

There is some chance that the allies will develop a pincer movement similar in many respects to that which nearly turned the Byng drive at Cambrai into a bad defeat.

In any event, American and allied military men here say confidently that while the allies may yield more ground, the foe has about shot his bolt and cannot make this drive a victory. The greatest optimism prevails as to the outcome.

Acting Chief of Staff March is in constant touch with developments as they affect the whole allied problem and particularly the American end thereof. General Bliss, at the inter-allied war council, is keeping him advised of the most intimate details.

A report from Bliss last night revealed the main facts as contained in yesterday's communique, while another message from General Pershing, perhaps containing interesting data on the drive, was in late last night for decoding. March has promised to give what information he safely can as soon as possible.

Loss of men does nothing, they said. Loss of men does, and if the German maneuvered into a position where he could push on to Paris or the channel ports, then affairs would be critical.

The German is losing men at a very costly rate, far more so than the allies. That is what counts, the experts say.

So when the final toll is taken it is believed the drive will go down as another German "washout," provided the Teuton is held in the next few days.

MAYOR OF SANTA ANA URGES ATTENTION TO INCOME TAX REPORTS

Last Day For Filing Soon Be Here, After Which Penalties Be Added

PROCLAMATION
To the People of Santa Ana: From advice received from the Internal Revenue Department, it appears that Santa Ana is negligent in the matter of Income Tax reports.

The last day for filing your income tax return is April first. This is a matter of serious import to the people of the city, and one to which they are not giving sufficient attention.

The penalties affixed to neglect of this duty are severe, and at the same time the good name of Santa Ana is involved.

I appeal to your patriotism, your pride, and your love of country, that you take immediate action in this important matter.

The condition is grave. Your country's need is immediate action, and I desire to impress upon you this fact:

File your income tax return before April first. Do not neglect it.

A. J. VISEL, Mayor.
W. S. S.

NIGHT REPORTS

Brief Summary of the News Appearing in This Morning's Papers

The morning papers do not show much additional information from the front owing to the fact that the difference of time between us and that of the scene of the war enables us to put into print on the afternoon of their occurrence all events of importance on the same day they take place.

A brief summary of today's items reaching the morning papers since our issue of yesterday follows:

TONS OF EXPLOSIVES DROPPED ON GERMANS
LONDON, March 26.—An official statement says that tons of explosives are being dropped upon the German troops and equipment massed behind the front lines. The congested condition of the Hun camps enables the aviators to drop bombs with the most telling effect.

HUNS CLAIM TO HAVE TAKEN HUNDRED TANKS
BERLIN, March 26.—More than 100 tanks have been found in positions abandoned by the Anglo-French forces.

MYSTERIOUS GUNS ARE OF AUSTRIAN DESIGN
WASHINGTON, March 26.—The mysterious guns which have been bombarding Paris from a distance of seventy miles or more are now believed to be Austrian "Skodas."

BUILDING TRADES WORKERS STRIKE
KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 27.—Union barbers, waiters, bartenders, butchers and members of the building trades organizations obeyed a general strike order and quit work here at 8 a. m. today, according to reports.

Figures on the numbers of strikers were not available, but union leaders estimated that at least 5000 carpenters, masons and building laborers were out. The walkout was ordered in sympathy with striking laundry workers whose employers have for weeks refused union recognition and mediation.

CASUALTY LIST
OTTAWA, Ont., March 27.—The following Americans are mentioned in today's casualty list:
Killed in action: C. Woodford, Pasadena, Cal.; Lieut. C. Corman, Los Angeles.

ME AND NAPOLEON

"We are at the most decisive moment of the war, and one of the greatest moments in German history," said the Kaiser, as he hurled his army against the British line. Napoleon seemed at the height of his power, and spoke in much the same way, before the battle of Waterloo.

JOHNSON CALLS YANKEE TANKER FOR PITILESS PUBLICITY PROBE SENDS PIRATE SUBMARINE TO BOTTOM

California Senator Flays Government For "Outrage" On Our Youth

WASHINGTON, March 27.—In the debate in the Senate yesterday over the lack of equipment for the American forces now on or near the front, Senator Johnson strenuously demanded "pitiless publicity" regarding government shortcomings.

"How many planes should we have in France by July 1?" he asked.

"Twelve thousand," replied Senator Nease of Indiana.

"How many will be delivered then?" asked Senator Johnson.

"Thirty-seven."

"The only cure for this outrage upon American youth is, in the words of a distinguished executive, 'pitiless publicity,'" shouted Johnson.

On his words the galleries cracked into applause.

Senators New, Kellogg, Thomas, Fall, Poindexter, Johnson and Lodge all begged for publicity that would tell America just what has and what has not been done.

Republican senators declared today they proposed to tell the country "the facts, the whole facts and nothing but the facts" about shortages and delays in the war program.

Following yesterday's outburst in which the airplane, ships and artillery situations were opened in part to public view, leaders declared they will continue their expose as far as they can.

"The lid is off," declared one leader today. "We're going to tell the people all the facts that we can get hold of regarding the actual accomplishments of this government and let the people judge whether their government has been efficient or not."

"Of course we'll be charged with politics, but we can as reasonably deny that charge as can the inefficient boards and bureaus deny that they have muddled our war affairs."

Indications are that there will be stiffening opposition to so-called war measures, particularly those appropriating large sums of money or granting wide and unusual powers to any man or set of men.

A new, bitter flare-up will mark the disposition of the Overman empowerment bill, scheduled for this week. Demand will be made for reorganization of the agencies charged with the production of airplanes.

Critical senators feel strongly on the airplane question. They profess to be astounded at the figures which, according to Senator New, Indiana, show that, though \$840,000,000 has been appropriated for aircraft and \$450,000,000 more has been asked, only thirty-seven battle planes will be delivered in France by July 1, instead of 12,000 originally planned.

A portion of the critics are particularly angry over what they term a tendency to choke off honest criticism of the war administration and the war program.

Officials Attempt Reply
Aircraft officials answered the Senate today with the statement that America's airplane program is going ahead satisfactorily.

Sweeping denial was made of statements that no battle planes were included in the air program. On highest authority it may be stated that the American program includes not only 7,000 training planes, but large numbers of heavy bombing machines, light "two seater" fighting planes and general utility planes which are used for reconnaissances, photographic work and some kinds of fighting.

While admitting that airplane work is two or three months behind schedule, officials insisted that hundreds of mechanics had been sent to France, Italy and England to help airplane manufacturers there; that tools of all descriptions had been forwarded and that raw materials needed abroad for airplane construction had been sent in great quantities. This was done in answer to urgent requests from allied governments.

Delay in production of finished airplanes here is partly due to miscalculation as to the tremendous amount of tool construction necessary for large-scale production of Liberty motors and planes.

ODESSA REPORTED RECAPTURED BY UKRAINIAN FORCE

Black Sea Fleet Co-operates In Bloody Fight; Bolsheviks See Opportunity

MOSCOW, March 27.—The Ukrainian Bolshevik forces have recaptured Odessa from the Teutons after a bloody fight, according to an official telegraph agency dispatch received here today. The Black Sea fleet co-operated.

TROTSKY PROCLAIMS MILITARY TRAINING

BY JOSEPH SHAPLEN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
PETROGRAD, March 27.—The Bolsheviks declare the German offensive offers Russia a chance to re-organize and declare war against Germany when the offensive falls.

War Minister Trotsky today proclaimed universal military training. The highest grades were ordered to report immediately, the old officers reporting en masse.

W. S. S.

BULLETINS

CROWN PRINCE GAINS REWARD FOR "SUCCESS"

AMSTERDAM, March 27.—The Kaiser today telegraphed the German crown prince the following, according to dispatches received here:

"Fine! The great success your troops achieved against the British army affords me a welcome opportunity to express to your highness my hearty recognition by appointing you chief of the Grenadier Guard regiment. I am convinced this brave regiment will always prove worthy of its princely chief."

BULK OF ALLIES HELD IN RESERVE

PARIS, March 27.—"Only a few French divisions are engaged," Sub-Secretary of War Abram declared today.

"The bulk of the French army is awaiting events, while the most powerful British reserves are just arriving in the field."

GERMAN PRESS ADMITS STRONG ALLIED RESERVES

AMSTERDAM, March 27.—"The enemy holds strong reserves south of the penetrated front with which to attack our troops from the flank," declared the Berlin Vorwarts, in copies received here today.

WAR PLANTS CRIPPLED BY KANSAS CITY STRIKE

KANSAS CITY, March 27.—Estimates that the number of workmen who went on strike in sympathy with the striking laundry workers range from 3,000 to 10,000 were made today.

The war plants, both making glycerine for the government reported their output crippled by the strike.

SENATOR JONES SCORES PRESIDENT FOR ISOLATION

WASHINGTON, March 27.—Senatorial criticism of the war was renewed when Senator Jones of Washington scored President Wilson for his isolation.

"The only way to clear a critical spirit about the war, no matter how unpleasant it may sound," Jones declared.

He charged that Congress is making an autocrit of the President. The President must co-ordinate himself, Jones said, and the sooner he does it the sooner the government will be effective.

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CLAIMS PEARLS WERE FRUIT OF NEW TREE

LOS ANGELES, March 27.—A pearl-bearing tree has been discovered. No, Burbank didn't do it. Arthur Dearing claims the honor and announced it to explain how he came into possession of thirty valuable pearls. He is being held on suspicion.

HEAVY PUNISHMENT GIVEN SLACKERS

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—Major-General Murray, commanding the western army department, today approved the sentences passed by courts martial on two "slackers." They were Ned Werbeck of Spokane, sentenced to six years, and Edgar E. Davis of Davenport, Wash., sentenced to five years. Both will go to McNeils Island.

AVIATOR BURNED TO DEATH IN FALL

WICHITA FALLS, Tex., March 27.—Charles W. Franks, 26, was burned to death at Call aviation field, near here, when his machine fell today from a height of several hundred feet. His gasoline tank exploded.

ALLIES WILL SOON MASTER SITUATION SAYS CLEMENCEAU

Situation Less Critical Than at Any Time For Three Days; Congestion of Enemy's Lines Makes Movement Difficult

LONDON, March 27.—"The situation is less critical than at any time in the last three days," declared General Maurice, director of operations, at 3 o'clock this afternoon, in summing up his report, up to 1 o'clock. "The enemy has been definitely checked north of the Somme. The allied troops show exhaustion. Reserves, however, are coming up north of Albert."

"South of the Somme, enemy advances are expected. Their reserves are approaching Roye and Noyon. French reserves are approaching those places. The battle is imminent. Other crises are possible. The time is on our side. The enemy is further from his railroad. His lines are congested, making difficulty in moving."

"The situation is less critical than at any time in three days. The enemy is in Albert," Maurice said.

"Our total losses in guns have been only about 600. German estimates of prisoners are likewise exaggerated."

"Within forty-eight hours the allies will be masters of the situation," Premier Clemenceau declared today upon returning from the front, in a report to the Ministerial Council. At the same time, Clemenceau did not attempt to conceal the seriousness of the situation. The premier said Amiens, a French railroad center, and apparently about to be threatened by the Germans, is well protected and that it is improbable that they will be able to break through.

"The British Lokel Anzeiger publishes a dispatch from Lausanne declaring the British saved their entire complement of heavy artillery in the face of the German advance."

Fighting is heavy between the converging Andre and Somme rivers. It is also south of Albert where one division was reported to be holding its own. During the afternoon a fierce attack was brought against Auchonvillers, north of Albert, but the enemy was driven off, while northwest of Colindamps an entire German patrol was made prisoner.

All roads on the Somme region converge on Amiens, but Hindenburg's most desperate effort to push forward to this place is meeting with determined resistance. Enemy aviators are throwing bombs on Amiens. The British, after retiring from Albert, will make a stand between the Somme and Andre.

DRIVE ON ITALY BEGUN BY HUNS

WASHINGTON, March 27.—New German and Austrian divisions of heavy artillery and materials continue to arrive on the Italian front, official Rome cables said this afternoon.

Austro-German forces are being transferred from the Rumanian front, and the artillery force is daily "growing in intensity."

ENEMY CHECKED BY FRENCH

PARIS, March 27.—"Enfeebled by considerable losses and forced to slacken his efforts, the enemy was checked everywhere yesterday evening and last night," the French war office reported today.

"The valor of our troops, who defended the ground foot by foot, is above all praise."

"We hold the line from Echell and St. Aurin to Bevaingnes and north of Lassigny and southward to Noyon and the left bank of the Oise."

"Strong enemy patrols attempting to reach our position northwest of Noyon during the night were repulsed."

"An intermittent bombardment is continuing along the whole front."

HAIG REPORTS LITTLE CHANGE

LONDON, March 27.—"Further local fighting north and northeast of Albert," was reported by Field Marshal Haig today.

"The situation here is unchanged," he said.

"In the neighborhood of Bray as a result of enemy attacks yesterday afternoon astride the Somme, we were forced back a short distance," Haig says.

"South of the Somme a heavy attack early Tuesday night against our new line was repulsed after severe fighting."

"At one point in the neighborhood of the river the enemy forced his way into our positions, but was thrown back by a counter attack."

HUNS REACHING LIMIT

LONDON, March 27.—Field Marshal Haig issued the following general order Saturday to all troops in France and Flanders, it was announced here today:

"To all ranks of the British army in France and Flanders:
"We are again at a crisis in the war. The enemy has collected on this front every available division, aiming at the destruction of the British army. We have already inflicted on the enemy in the course of the last two days very heavy losses, and the French are sending troops as quickly as possible to our support."

"I feel that every one in the army, fully realizing how much depends on the exertions and steadfastness of each one of us, will do his utmost to prevent the enemy from attaining his object."

(Signed) "DOUGLAS HAIG."

BRITISH NOT COUNTING COST

WASHINGTON, March 27.—"Determination to fight on without counting the cost until the freedom of mankind is safe," was cabled President Wilson today by Field Marshal Haig in answer to the president's message of confidence.

"Your message of generous appreciation of the steadfastness and valor of our soldiers in the great battle now raging has greatly touched us all. Please accept our heartfelt thanks. One and all believe in the justice of our cause and are determined to fight without counting the cost until the freedom of mankind is safe."

(Signed) "DOUGLAS HAIG."

GERMAN GENERAL KILLED

AMSTERDAM, March 27.—Gen. Blotnitz, commanding one of the German divisions attacking St. Quentin, was killed in action Friday, according to dispatches received here from German sources today.

"Blotnitz" probably is a cable error for Blottwitz.

GERMANS PROPOSE INCREASED DEMANDS

AMSTERDAM, March 27.—"It is self-evident that we no longer can conclude peace on the terms acceptable to us a week ago," the Koelnische Zeitung declares, according to copies received here today.

'T WAS PREPARATION DID IT, SAYS KAISER

AMSTERDAM, March 27.—"The devastation is terrible," said Quartermaster General Ludendorff in an interview published in the Koelnische Zeitung.

"The Kaiser is deeply impressed. He remarked, 'How glad I am that our country was spared such things. We have succeeded in keeping the fighting outside our frontiers because, before the war, we always urged the necessity of armaments answering the most necessary requirements, to which we must keep.'"

(Additional War News on Page Six.)

Blade-Register Consolidation

What Papers and Individuals Think of It

WILL MAKE THE REGISTER ONE OF THE BEST

Two strong Southern California newspapers have consolidated at Santa Ana, the Register and the Blade of that city having merged their interests. Frank P. Clarkson, who has been editor and manager of the Blade for several years, has been one of the most conspicuous editorial writers of this part of the state. The Register has been for many years under the control of J. P. Baumgartner, who has been one of the most successful newspaper editors and managers of the country outside of metropolitan circles. The consolidation of the two papers will make the resultant newspaper one of the best in this part of the state and probably the largest in circulation in the south, outside of Pasadena, Los Angeles and San Diego.

RANCHERS TURN DOWN CARLOADS OF FERTILIZER AS WORTHLESS

Say There Is Too Much Camp
Kearny Dirt Mixed
With It

A farm fertilizer, the component parts of which are declared to be approximately wheat straw ten per cent, Camp Kearny mesa dirt a large per cent, and water and coral offal the remainder, is not very good fertilizer, in the opinion of Orange County orange growers whose holdings are in the vicinity of Tustin and El Modena, and as a result, some dozen carloads of the stuff described have been rejected by growers who had ordered them to be delivered at the Santa Fe tracks near the new packing plant of the Golden West Citrus Association, just east of Tustin.

The so-called fertilizer is sold by the Southern California Fertilizer Company, of Los Angeles, which organization is represented here by a local agent. The stuff comes from Camp Kearny. It was represented to be stable and coral fertilizer and was presumed by the purchasers to be what might naturally be expected as such, but on the arrival here of the first shipment, much of it was found to be practically worthless as a fertilizer and some of the purchasers have cancelled their orders for the cars yet to arrive and have refused to accept what is already here.

J. E. Livesey, who owns an orange grove on Prospect avenue, is one of those who refuses to accept the so-called fertilizer sold him by the Southern California Fertilizer Company and has notified the company's local agent that the four carloads yet to arrive on his six carload purchase will not be accepted. He also rejects one carload now on the tracks at Tustin.

Livesey had hauled to his ranch a part of one carload before he was fully convinced that the stuff was not as represented, and may therefore be compelled to pay for the whole car, but this morning he said there was still four or five tons in the car that he would not bother unloading as it was not worth hauling away.

D. Eymann Huff, manager for the Hewes Realty Company, is another purchaser who refused to accept the stuff after he had examined the first carload that was unloaded for him, and of his six carload purchase he has notified the fertilizer company's agent that he will positively refuse to accept the five carloads yet to arrive.

The so-called fertilizer so far sent here comes in steel cars and is billed at from forty-five to sixty-five tons weight each. It is sold, according to

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Livesey, at from \$2.50 to \$3.50 per ton delivered at Tustin and with the cost of delivery at the ranch added, brings the total up to approximately \$4.50 per ton, a price that even opulent Orange County orange growers balk at paying for material of such doubtful value.

KAISER CONFIDENT GERMANS WILL WIN

AMSTERDAM, March 27.—The German emperor, speaking to the war correspondents at headquarters in the field, said:

"Tell the people at home that out here everybody gives his all; everybody knows that, however great the stake, we shall win. The whole of Germany fights for its free future."

While on the battlefield the emperor shook hands with hundreds of soldiers.

—W. S. S.—

COMMITTEE TO CAMP KEARNY TOMORROW

Will Arrange Details to Bring
Co. L Home For Pa-
triotic Services

Members of the Liberty Day Patriotic Exercises committee will go to Camp Kearny tomorrow to arrange with Commander Strong the details necessary to bring Company L here on April 6 to participate in the exercises to be held from 2 to 4 in the afternoon. The full company will not be brought, it being the intention to bring only those members who are enlisted from Orange county. Guarantee of an even 100 passengers is required to get the low rate quoted by the Santa Fe company. In order to get this number Orange county boys identified with other companies at camp may be included in the list.

The committee met yesterday afternoon for the discussion of matters pertaining to the celebration and to hear reports of different committees. Committee members present were: C. W. Minter, James O'Brien, C. Metzger, Fred Rafferty, R. L. Bisby, C. S. Kendall, C. H. Chapman and Mae O. Robbins.

Metzger, of the publicity committee reported that Anaheim and Fullerton would hold celebrations and would not join with Santa Ana. Orange probably will participate in the exercises, the matter not having been fully decided as yet. Acceptances of invitations extended to the G. A. R. and affiliated bodies and the Santa Ana Home Guards were reported.

Bisby reported that the Pacific Electric had agreed to stop its cars during the progress of the exercises, which are to be held at the corner of Fourth and Broadway. The cars will not go east of Broadway and will therefore not interfere with the exercises.

The matter of arranging transportation for the Company L boys was placed in the hands of Bisby. E. B. Surague, cashier of the Orange County Trust and Savings Bank, was appointed treasurer of the committee by Chairman Rafferty, and C. H. Chapman was made chairman of the finance committee.

It is proposed to raise a fund of \$500 to pay the expenses of bringing Company L here for the exercises.

—W. S. S.—

ORANGE LIBERTY BOY DEAD AT CAMP LEWIS

Elmer Hunt Dies of Pneumonia at Camp Hospital
Monday Evening

ORANGE, March 27.—The first Liberty boy to give his life for the cause, the first casualty for Orange, is Elmer Hunt, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hunt of 314 West Palm avenue, who died Monday night at Camp Lewis, Wash. He was a victim of pneumonia.

Elmer Hunt went with the draft contingent to Camp Lewis on September 19, 1917. He was attached to the 264th infantry as an electrician. Two months ago he was taken ill with measles and other complications that finally ended in pneumonia which claimed his life. The young man was 22 years of age.

Two telegrams were received by his parents from Colonel Northington, commander of Hunt's regiment, the first one arrived Monday night, apprising them of his critical condition. Tuesday morning a second message came, informing them of his death.

The telegram also stated that the body would be sent home. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been completed, however.

Besides the parents, the young man leaves a sister, Miss Blanche Hunt. His death is the first among the men who have entered the military service from this community.

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REPORT THAT S. A. MAN KILLED IN ACTION NOT TRUE

Ralph Coffin Receives Word
That Brother Owen Is
Very Much Alive

Reports circulating here the past few days that Owen T. Coffin of this city had been killed in action on the French front, is without foundation. Coffin is with Company D, 117th Engineers, "somewhere in France."

The rumor was to the effect that he had been killed and that his brother, Ralph Coffin, had been advised by the Government. The latter has received no such word.

It develops that someone in this city received a card from a French woman extending her sympathy, and the interpretation was that Owen had been killed or wounded. It evidently was a woman who had met Coffin and intended to convey her sympathy to a friend of his because he had been called into the struggle.

Yesterday Ralph Coffin received a letter from his brother dated four days after the card from the French woman, in which he stated that he was in the best of health.

—W. S. S.—

If it's for the auto, we have it. Livesey's, 214-216 East Fourth Street.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NEWS NOTES FROM ORANGE CITY

ORANGE, March 27.—The completion of Pacific Electric construction work north from Orange to the junction with the Southern Pacific is signalled by the withdrawal of the company's engineers from this locality.

L. B. Denton, with his wife and two sons, who have been making their home in Orange for the last year, have departed for Los Angeles. Other members of the surveying force here who left Saturday were: F. M. Kinne, John E. Nixon, A. Schaller and John S. Ferguson.

Mrs. F. V. Pruitt entertained a few friends at her home on North Olive. The affair was a farewell to Mrs. Harriet Hocking and Miss McCormick, who have been house guests of Mrs. J. P. Boring for some time.

Knitting and music occupied the afternoon. Delicious refreshments were served. Enjoying Mrs. Pruitt's hospitality were Mrs. Hocking, Mrs. Milton Mathew, Mrs. J. E. Baker, Mrs. H. E. Baker, Mrs. A. B. Lane, Mrs. J. P. Boring, Mrs. Carl Pettie, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. W. T. Syvester, Mrs. A. R. Fernald, Misses Flora Palmer, Mable Thornburg, Mabel McCormick, Leah Fernald.

Mrs. A. H. Abraham has returned home from a week's stay with her sister at Santa Monica.

Mrs. W. T. Syvester and Mrs. A. R. Fernald were hostesses at a delightful dinner party at the home of Mrs. Syvester. After dinner the evening was spent at the home of Mrs. A. R. Fernald, where music and other diversions were enjoyed.

The guests were Messrs. and Mesdames J. P. Boring, F. V. Pruitt, Alex Smith, Warren Moore; Mrs. Harriet Hocking, Mrs. Mathew, Miss McCormick, Miss Fernald, Mr. Fishback, Ronald Boring, Mr. Fernald and Mr. Syvester.

C. F. Pine, janitor at the high school, had an ankle sprained and was badly bruised when the Plaza Meat Market's delivery truck, driven by Elmer Gullege, ran into his buggy and threw him in the road. The accident occurred on North Orange street, near the high school.

W. T. Porter and family left yesterday for Mesa, Ariz., where Mr. Porter has bought a ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Lewis of Camp Point, Ill., are here visiting their cousin, Mrs. B. L. Ford.

Mrs. C. A. Fiene, who recently underwent an operation at the Santa Ana hospital, is getting along very nicely.

R. J. Phillips of Brownsburg, Ind., has arrived here for a visit with the K. E. Watson family. Mr. Phillips is a cousin of Mr. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Crawshaw are moving to Nuevo. Mrs. Crawshaw, who has been ill for the past seven weeks, has recovered sufficiently to make the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Grey have sold their property on North Lemon street and have moved to 522 East Palm avenue.

A. C. Kirchoff has sold his house at 321 North Olive street to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Niles of South Center street. Mr. and Mrs. Kirchoff will move to Mesa, Ariz., where they have bought a ranch. They expect to leave the first of next month.

Mrs. M. N. Claypool is spending a week at Venice. Her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Gollaber, spent Sunday and Monday with her.

TY COBB PROBABLY WILL JOIN ARMY

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 27.—Major Joseph Thompson, 110th infantry, today confirmed reports from Georgia last week that Ty Cobb would probably join the army before the end of the coming summer.

Major Thompson, former coach at Pitt University, is here on furlough.

Easter Footwear at big savings at the Kafateria Shoe Store, 402 W. 4th.

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Pails, regular \$3.25 value, to close out,
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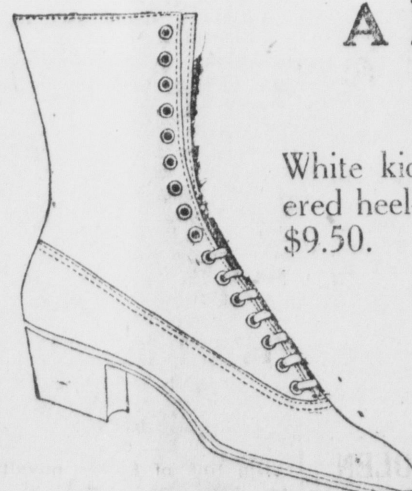
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SATICOY WALNUT PACKING HOUSE INSPECTED BY LOCAL MEN

Association Directors on Tour Of Investigation In Ventura County Yesterday

Directors and the secretary of the Santa Ana Walnut Association journeyed to Santa Paula and Saticoy, in Ventura county, yesterday to inspect packing house plants with a view to getting pointers in building and equipping a new house here.

The Saticoy plant is a walnut house, while at Santa Paula the building inspected there was that of the Santa Paula Lemon Association, which is erecting the largest house in Southern California.

The directors were very much pleased with the Saticoy house and found many points that will be of value to them in determining that character of building and equipment for installation here.

The cost of handling last season's crop of nuts by the association at Saticoy was much less than here because of the efficiency of equipment and convenient arrangement of the details of the packing house.

The directors will visit other packing houses in Southern California before making definite plans.

Those in the party yesterday were W. L. Grubb, O. H. Gruenwald, I. L. Marchant, E. C. Martin, Harry Lewis and Secretary O. H. Burke.

RIVERSIDE JUBILANT OVER SCHOOL VICTORY

RIVERSIDE, March 27.—Captain John D. Fredericks, representing the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, spoke at a big gathering of Chamber of Commerce members here last night at a banquet celebrating the winning of the Government aviation school.

Captain W. H. Carothers, commandant of the new school, also spoke, as did Mayor Horace Porter and Raymond Best on behalf of the city and local chamber. President Benjamin H. Wheeler and Dean Thomas F. Hunter of the University of California, here for the dedication of the citrus experiment station, were also called upon and spoke briefly.

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HIGH PUPILS MAY CONTEST WITH OTHERS IN U. S.

Liberty Bond Offered As Prize For Best Essay By Student

Students of the Santa Ana High School have opportunity to compete with students of the high schools of the United States in composition work, under plans evolved by the National Committee of Patriotic Societies. The proposition has been or will be made to the principals of the high schools of the local high school has not yet received a copy of the letter.

The mailing of letters to the principals is noted in a communication received today by R. L. Bisby from Harold Jannus, director of publicity, of Los Angeles. The letter follows:

The National Committee of Patriotic Societies is to offer a prize of a \$50 Liberty Bond to that high school student in the United States who writes the best essay on the subject of "Win the War With a Liberty Bond." This contest will be conducted during the Third Liberty Loan campaign, which starts April 6, and the conditions of the contest are as follows:

No essay must be more than 600 words in length.

There must be at least ten students writing essays in every school which competes.

Every high school contesting must hold a campaign for the sale of Liberty Bonds.

W. S. S. HARPER

RED CROSS DOING ACTIVE WORK, HAS MONTHLY MEETING

HARPER, March 27.—The Newport Beach Chapter of Red Cross met Tuesday afternoon at the headquarters in the Sharp building at Newport. E. A. Spaulding, chairman, presiding.

Mrs. Woodrough reported that the \$50 allotment of wool had all been given out and there were many calls for the work if funds could be supplied for material.

Mrs. Harper announced that next Saturday night there would be a picture show at Balboa, the entire proceeds to go for the purchase of yarn.

Mrs. Knight for the refugee work reported that \$35 of their allotment had been spent and was being worked up.

Mrs. Brush reported that after all expenses were taken out the Junior Red Cross sale last Friday night netted \$77.75.

Mrs. W. W. Crosier, Mrs. Bertha Harper and Mrs. Douglass were appointed on a committee for arrangements of the open meeting to be held in April.

New standing committees appointed were: Mrs. Merkle, Home Service Department; Mrs. Brush, Distribution of Refugee Work for the Mesa, and Mr. Durkee and Mrs. C. A. Wilkinson for Publicity Work.

Dr. J. W. Wherry, chairman of Constitution and By-laws committee, was not ready to report.

The secretary is Mrs. Leonard P. Swales.

The ladies are requested to bring their thimbles and scissors to the meeting at the Rochester home next Friday afternoon for the Red Cross work.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McConnell of Hollywood were visitors at the Donald Dodge home last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wilkinson visited in Hollywood last Saturday and Sunday, and attended the picture show, "Hearts of the World."

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McConnell of Sacramento, son Fred and little Miss Nancy, visited with Mr. McConnell's niece, Mrs. Donald Dodge, and family, over Sunday.

Rev. Hostwick has arranged special Easter services for next Sunday.

Last Sunday morning was Decision day for the M. E. Sunday school and eleven young folks openly made their decision for affiliation with the church.

Mr. and Mrs. George Huntington are having another room added to their home. They entertained Mr. and Mrs. Robert Durkee of Newport and Mrs. Mabel Woolridge of Long Beach last Tuesday evening.

Don't forget the Red Cross benefit picture show at Balboa next Saturday night. Our soldier boys need socks.

W. S. S.

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W. M'KAY, Circulation Mgr.

News from the Courts

IN SETTLEMENT MRS. VAUGHAN'S ESTATE WILL SET ASIDE

Contest Over Document Involving Spiritualistic Influence to End

By an agreement reached out of court, the will of Mrs. Martha Shaffer Vaughan, attacked by her relatives upon the ground that it was made under undue influence, is to be set aside and the estate, valued at \$145,000, is to be distributed in accordance with the agreement.

Mrs. Vaughan, a pioneer of West Orange, married L. O. Vaughan a few years ago. After her death last December there was presented for probate a will that left \$4,000 to relatives of Mrs. Vaughan, the rest of the estate to go to Vaughan. Vaughan was requested in the will to give whatever sum he saw fit to some spiritualistic organization. P. E. Hatch, a Long Beach banker, was named as executor of the will.

Relatives of Mrs. Vaughan, including Elizabeth Kirk and Irene Lilley of this county, attacked the will. The contest alleged that the faith that Mrs. Vaughan had in spirits had been preyed upon by Vaughan to get her to make the will.

Attorneys Clyde Bishop and Williams & Rutan representing the contestants, and Attorneys H. C. Head and H. J. Forsy, representing Vaughan, have come to an agreement for the settlement of the contest.

That such an agreement had been reached was evidenced this morning by the filing of a new petition for letters of administration. The petitioner is the Orange County Trust & Savings Bank of Santa Ana. This petition states that the estate consists of \$100,000 worth of real estate and \$45,000 worth of personal property. Williams & Rutan and Clyde Bishop appear as attorneys for the petitioner.

The petition alleges that Mrs. Vaughan left no will, and that the court has determined that the document presented by P. E. Hatch as a will is void. However, the allegation that the court has entered a decision declaring the will is void seems to be getting the allegations in the settlement petition ahead of actual happenings, for as yet the court has not entered its ruling declaring the will to be void. Doubtless under the agreement reached out of court such a decision will be forthcoming.

The settlement out of court is not outlined in the new petition. It is understood, however, that there is a division of the property between Vaughan on the one hand and contestants on the other.

W. S. S.

CHARGES MARRIAGE OF HUSBAND HERE IN '16 WAS BIGAMY

Mrs. Bessie J. Hansen of Fresno has sworn to a complaint charging her husband, William A. Hansen of Los Angeles, with bigamy.

She says that Hansen came here on February 26, 1916, and was married by Justice Cox to Mrs. Sarah E. Medwin, a widow, now living in Los Angeles.

Hansen and his wife have been separated for some time. She says that she went to Mrs. Merwin and told her that Hansen was married, and she also went to Mrs. Merwin's mother and told her also.

The records here show the license to have been issued and the marriage performed. Hansen gave his age as 29, Mrs. Merwin's as 27, both being residents of Los Angeles. Hansen stated in his certificate that he was a single man. N. D. Meyer and J. W. Murray were witnesses to the ceremony.

W. S. S.

BIXBY GIVEN PERMIT TO DEEPEN DITCHES

Yesterday the Board of Supervisors granted Fred H. Bixby permission to deepen drainage ditches beside the Los Alamitos-Artesia road and beside another road in that section. The permit was given, however, with the order that the ditch does not extend more than six feet from the property line.

W. S. S.

B. F. HENNAHY'S ESTATE LEFT TO HIS STEPSON

The will of B. F. Hennahy of Santa Ana was filed for probate yesterday by Attorney W. F. Heathman, with Fred C. Graves of Wilmington, a stepson of the deceased, as the petitioner. The will was written on January 4, 1915, and was witnessed by J. A. Wilson and Sam Jernigan. The estate is valued at \$299, and will go to the stepson.

W. S. S.

SIX HORSES ARE STOLEN FROM SUGAR BEET FARM

Victor De Sutter, a sugar beet grower near Delhi, has reported that last night six head of horses were stolen from his ranch.

LONG BEACH MAN IS FINED \$20, CUTTING IN TRIAL IS HELD

S. C. Peasley and several witnesses who were with him failed to see that Peasley in passing C. C. Crawford's automobile had cut in so close to Crawford that he had to swerve off the road in order to prevent a collision. However, Justice Cox could see it, and he fined the Long Beach man \$20. The witnesses for the prosecution were Mr. and Mrs. Crawford, both of Santa Ana.

W. S. S.

GIBSON IS ARRESTED IN ARIZONA, TO TRY HIM IN LOS ANGELES

J. A. Gibson of Buena Park has been arrested in Phoenix, Ariz., on a charge of issuing a worthless \$300 check in Los Angeles in payment for a second-hand Buick automobile. He will be prosecuted in Los Angeles.

There are two charges against the man in this county, one for giving a forged check for \$200.95 to the S. Q. R. store at Anaheim and one for selling horses mortgaged to M. C. Chase for \$350. Should the prosecution in Los Angeles fail, Gibson will be brought here.

W. S. S.

TRUJILLO BROS. MUST EARN AND REPAY MONEY

Boys Responsible For Burglary at Jacobson & Berman's Get Probation

Theodore and Armando Trujillo will have to be good boys for the next four or five years, otherwise the former will have to go to the school of correction at Lodi and the latter to Whittier. The brothers are the boys who recently entered the store of Jacobson & Berman and stole \$175.25 and some Liberty bonds.

Theodore has admitted his connection with the theft, while Armando says that his only connection was in assisting in spending the stolen money. The former is 16 years of age and the latter is 17.

The boys were up in the juvenile court this morning, and Judge Thomas sentenced Theodore to Lodi and Armando to Whittier until they attain their majority's execution of the sentence being suspended pending good behavior. The lads will have to report to Probation Officer Scott at regular intervals. They must also work and earn enough money to pay back the financial loss they have occasioned the firm from which they stole the money. The amount they will have to replace is \$110. Money to the amount of \$64.25 has been recovered by City Marshal Jernigan. Of this amount \$50 was found secreted in the woodpile at the home of the boys and the balance was found on Armando when he was taken into custody last week, following his return from Anaheim in a drunken condition. It was Armando's "jag" that led to the arrest of himself and brother for the burglary.

Judge Thomas cautioned the boys not to permit their father to repay any of the stolen funds. He told them that if he found that their father was assisting them in any way he would revoke their parole.

W. S. S.

EXTENSION TO APRIL 16 GIVEN THE CONTRACTOR

The Board of Supervisors yesterday gave an extension of time to Steele Finley for the completion of paving contracts at Laguna Beach and San Juan Capistrano. The extension is to April 16. The work would have been finished before now had it not been for wet weather that delayed operations.

W. S. S.

PETITION FOR LETTERS FILED BY O. L. HALSELL

A petition for letters of administration upon the estate of Mrs. Susan C. Halsell has been filed by O. L. Halsell, son and only heir of the deceased. The estate is valued at \$9000. Scarborough & Porgy are attorneys for the petitioner.

W. S. S.

ENTER STIPULATION

This morning an agreement reached between Mrs. Willie Edith Judd and her husband, L. L. Judd, whom she is suing for divorce, was filed. By that agreement Mrs. Judd gets control of two minor children and Judd agrees to pay \$14 a month for their support.

W. S. S.

NO LIGHTS ON BIKES

B. Contreras and C. Lopez, both of Anaheim, have been arrested on charges of riding bicycles at night without having proper lights upon them.

W. S. S.

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CHARGE ORTEGO OF PLACENTIA SPEEDING AT 58 MILES

Well Known Resident Is Up Against Cox and His Ten-Day Disposition

J. J. Ortego of Placentia has been arrested on a charge of driving an automobile at the rate of fifty-eight miles an hour.

Everyone knows what that means. Motorcycle Officer Ballard has sworn to the complaint, and it is filed before Justice John B. Cox of Santa Ana.

For the last year and a half Cox has made it a rule of his office that any person, man, woman, motorcyclist or automobilist, convicted in his court of going over fifty miles an hour shall be sentenced to ten days in jail.

The motorcycle officers say that they have given Ortego a bit the best of the speed. He was caught going through a trap out on the San Joaquin ranch. Motorcycle Officer Carr says he got his speed at sixty-two miles an hour. That was when Ortego was going through the trap. Motorcycle Officer Ballard took out after the Placentian, and took his speed also by speedometer. The report made by the motorcycle officer was that the speed was not less than fifty-eight miles an hour.

Ortego is a well known orchardist of Placentia. He has lived there for many years, his big stone house being one of the best of the Placentia residences.

Ortego was instructed to appear before Justice Cox at 9 o'clock this morning. At 1:30 o'clock he had not appeared.

W. S. S.

ARE TO FLAG ROAD OVER THE RIDGE IN ORDER TO JUDGE IT

Supervisors to Take the First Step In Reaching Canyon Decision

The Board of Supervisors has commenced its investigations with a view to determining what it will do in solving the Santa Ana canyon road problem. Yesterday County Surveyor McBride was instructed to set flags along the route that he would suggest should be followed if a road is to be built over the ridge back of Sulphur Slide. When these flags are set, the supervisors will look over the route.

The board is faced with the same old question. Shall the road be built at the river's edge or over the ridge? The last storm washed out the road at the river's edge, and extensive work will be necessary there to make a permanent road at that place.

A road over the ridge will cost a good deal of money, and it will also be subject to probable damage by storms.

Years ago there was a wagon road that went over the ridge. It is proposed to use that same route. By some switching and changes the supervisors can lay out a road that will have no more than a six per cent grade.

Supervisors Leck opposed the route as suggested yesterday upon the ground that a shorter route with a seven per cent grade could be made that would be satisfactory, if the ridge route is decided upon.

W. S. S.

\$5827.20 IN FINES IS DISTRIBUTED TO CITIES OF COUNTY

Yesterday County Auditor W. C. Jerome drew warrants for the distribution of \$5827.20 among the incorporated cities of Orange county. This money was collected by city recorders in fines for traffic offenses covered by the state traffic laws, and was turned into the county treasurer.

Distribution is upon a basis of population, tempered by a ruling that related to the amount turned in by the individual cities. Santa Ana and Seal Beach, accordingly, got the bulk of the money distributed.

The warrants drawn by Jerome were for the following amounts: Santa Ana, \$3542.10; Fullerton, \$124.50; Orange, \$202; Anaheim, \$173.80; Huntington Beach, \$68.80; Stanton, \$12.10; Brea, \$52.50; Newport Beach, \$30.40.

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1 gal. Grogan's Fancy Olives	88c
Large can Crackers	\$1.28
All Milks (tall)	11c
1 doz. all Milks (tall)	\$1.30
Milk, small	5 1/2c
1 doz. Milk, small	65c
Bulk Cocoa	18c
Tall Pink Salmon	17c
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ANCIENT COUNSEL

The Baagavad Gita is one of the oldest of books. It forms part of the Mahabharata, the great poem which is one of the Hindu scriptures.

Prince Arjuna prepared to destroy a usurper who was oppressing his nation, to restore order and peace. There were, however, relatives and friends fighting on the other side. Arjuna became confused as to his duty. It is a sin to kill his friends and relatives. It is a sin to let the country go from bad to worse under its present ruler. What is he to do?

He is, of course, a symbol of the soul struggling against difficulties in a universe which he but dimly understands. The book consists of Shri Krishna's advice and explanation to him so that he may be "harmonized" and cease to be "bewildered", or as the Hebrew scriptures say, "confounded".

Perhaps it is true that there is nothing new under the sun. At any rate, some of the advice seems singularly appropriate to Americans, fighting for peace, order and liberty, desiring no "fruits of conquest", in a world war in which new issues constantly arise, new difficulties and dangers continually beset. How curiously modern save for its linguistic dress, sounds this ancient wisdom:

He who regardeth this person as a slayer, and he who thinketh he is slain, both of them are ignorant. He slayeth not, nor is he slain.

He is not born, nor doth he die; nor having been, ceaseth he any more to be; unborn, perpetual, eternal and ancient, he is not slain when the body is slaughtered.

Weapons cleave him not, nor fire burneth him, nor waters wet him, nor wind drieth him away.

Unmanifest, unthinkable, immutable, he is called; therefore, knowing him as such, thou shouldst not grieve.

Further, looking to thine own duty, thou shouldst not tremble; for there is nothing more welcome to the virtuous than righteous war.

But if thou wilt not carry on this righteous warfare, then, casting away thine own duty and thine honour, thou wilt incur sin.

Men will recount thy perpetual dishonour, and, to one highly esteemed, dishonour is worse than death.

The great generals will think thou hast fled the battle from fear, and thou that wast highly esteemed wilt be lightly held.

Many unseemly words will be spoken by thine enemies, slandering thy strength.

Slain, thou wilt obtain heaven; victorious, thou wilt enjoy the earth; therefore stand up, O son of Kunti, resolute to fight.

Taking as equal pleasure and pain, gain and loss, victory and defeat, gird thee for the battle; thus thou shalt not incur sin.

In this there is no loss of effort, nor is there transgression. Even a little of this law frees one from great fear.

THE HEALTHIEST CLASS

There is much significance in the announcement made by the French government that the military class of 1914, recently called to the colors, shows the best physical condition of any of the six classes called since 1914.

It means that the physique of French youth at home has steadily improved during the war. Their fine health and vigor are more impressive in view of the fact that German childhood and youth have suffered increasingly during the war, as a result of privations imposed on them.

The excellent physique of the recruits is attributed largely to their indulgence in outdoor sport, which have attained unprecedented vogue in France in the last few years. The French have learned that from England. Another contributing cause is said to be the higher wages earned by French workmen, which have enabled them to supply better nourishment to their children than in normal times.

This explanation is chiefly interesting because it takes for granted the one big advantage that France has over Germany in the preservation of her people's health—she has food in sufficient quantity and variety. What she lacks herself she can obtain elsewhere. Germany finds herself every year in worse plight, and must resign herself to a progressive deterioration of national physique. This is inevitable, despite her eastern conquests. Not starvation, but deprivation of essential food stuffs, is the Allies' most effective weapon.

BACK TO BELLAMY

There has been quite a little correspondence printed lately by a newspaper from readers who are interested in the relation of Bellamy's "Looking Backward" to the conduct of wartime affairs. One man writes:

"I, too, with thousands of others, believe that Edward Bellamy wrote America's greatest book and that much of it could be utilized today and very materially help in winning the war. I suggest that all admirers of Bellamy's principles get together and form a Bellamy club with a view of creating a general and permanent organization throughout the nation and giving aid to the government and Bellamy's ideals thereby."

This is an interesting suggestion and might be a fruitful one. But are there not too many organizations now? And is there not too little real thinking? It is so easy for people to join a club and pay a dollar or two a year and read a few pamphlets and think they're reforming the nation. And it is so hard to sit down quietly and put one's mind upon the problem of reforming one's self and one's own environment.

Of all the books depicting imagined Utopias, undoubtedly Bellamy's "Looking Backward" is the sanest, the most practical, the one most thoroughly American in spirit and the one whose ideas could most readily be adopted, one by one, by Americans. No revolution is required to bring about his dream. Any little city could start with the reforms nearest at hand, and spread its leaves slowly through the land.

Many of Bellamy's most startling prophecies have already been fulfilled, quietly and without any fuss. Many seem about to come to fulfillment.

It is not, however, a Bellamy Club, all cluttered up

with officers and red tape and such squabbling as organization always seems to carry with it, that will bring order out of chaos. But a hundred thousand readers, digging that simple little gray-covered romance out of their attics and forgotten library shelves, reading it carefully with their minds on present conditions, thinking about it soberly, devoting themselves to putting those fundamental principles of brotherhood upon which the scheme is based into practice in their own everyday lives—a few hundred thousand thinkers such as this might indeed put our political, industrial, economic and social house in order.

DOG-GEREL

At all events the economic sentimental dog discussion in these columns has commanded attention. We've seen several references to it in other newspapers, and now a subscriber sends us this from the Dallas (Texas) News:

A dear lady of Dallas sends in a poem clipped from a dog organ and asks State Press if it touches his heart. No, lady, it doesn't. The poem tells of a dog which saved "baby" from falling into a well, and it was a good day's work. But for every baby which any dog has saved from any well a thousand babies have died from dog-scattered disease and dog-given rabies. We read many poems concerning the nobility of the dog, but none concerning it as a death-dealing agent. For that reason State Press has decided to write a sentimental verse dealing with the dark side of the dog, as follows, viz., namely:

"I think we'd better send away
This child of ours," said Farmer Gray;
"He's really of no earthly use.
He tracks the floor without excuse,
And scatters crumbs on the parlor floor,
And pencil-marks the kitchen door—
A child's a costly farce, good wife,
And ours may ruin our dog's whole life."

"No, no," said patient Mother Gray,
"Don't send our bawling brat away.
Let's not consider only cost,
Or that we love the dog the most—
Let's try to keep both dog and child
For yet another little while;
And then perhaps we can contrive
To let the fittest one survive."

TIT FOR TAT

The German newspapers are saying that if the United States seizes any German property in America, Germany will retaliate by seizing all American property in Germany. And there is the implication that she will take it without payment, though we plan to pay for everything.

Inasmuch as there is only about one-hundredth as much American property over there as there is German property here, the threat isn't very effective. We can easily pay ourselves for what Germany seizes, out of what we seize. It's only a matter of bookkeeping.

Milwaukee is suffering from a button famine. Nails and safety pins are said to be doing duty as suspender buttons. THAT REMINDS US SOMEHOW THAT WHEN THE GERMANS ENTERED BELGIUM, EVERY ONE OF THEM HAD TWO SETS OF BUTTONS SEWED ON HIS TROUSERS. Milwaukee should learn something about real Teutonic preparedness.

Some folks are saying that they won't plant any potatoes this year because they don't care to raise them or \$1 a bushel. We haven't heard of any soldiers who are refusing to fight because they only get \$1 a day for it.

Bud Flivver's Observations

*** The other night—I went to a Home Garden meeting—And learned a lot—About planting things—

*** And they had a fellow—From the Government—Who told how—To prepare the soil—For good crops—

*** And after the speaker—Got through talking—He said he would—Answer questions—Or hear suggestions—On gardening—

*** And several got up and told—How they planted—Bell peppers—And calico beans—And hubbard squashes—

*** And Bill Wiseman—Eased himself up—And cleared his throat—And said he would like—To say a few words—About planting—By the moon's phases—

*** And he said—The moon controls the tides—And it was only reasonable—To believe—That it controlled—The growth of plants—

*** And he said—He always had planted—Just any old time—And some times—He had a good crop—And sometimes he didn't—

*** And he said—Last year he—Planted all things—That grew above the ground—Three days before—The light of the moon—

*** And all things—That grew below ground—He planted—In the dark of the moon—

*** And he said—All his crops were good—Last year—Because they were—Planted in the moon—

*** And old lady Frizbaum—Got real sarcastic—And said she believed—In planting in the ground—Instead of in the moon—

*** And she said—She used lots of fertilizer—And let the moon take care of itself—And she had a fine garden—

*** And Bill got up again—And said he hadn't—Used any fertilizer at all—But by planting in the moon—He raised a crop—That took first prize—

*** And I was just thinking—If they both had—Such good crops—Both of them—Must have done—The right thing—

*** And I'm going to—Put a lot of fertilizer—On my ground—And plow it under—And everything—

*** And then I am—Going to get—An almanac—And get acquainted—With the moon—And her nightly habits—

*** And I figure—If I use both—The fertilizer—And the moon—I'll raise a crop—That will beat them all—By Bud.

Just Groans and Grins

PRESUMABLY GOING SOUTH
While putting out street fires one Home Defense Leaguer was killed, another was knocked senseless with his own night stick, and a third was painfully cut on the west side last night.—New York Mail.

The man who does not mind his own business is not the man you want to mind your business.

DOUBTFUL COMPLIMENT
Vicar (at village Red Cross concert): Miss Jones will sing again—"I Cannot Tell You Why."

These are "Flickers" from the Riverside Press:
If Russia surrenders much more, she will be known as eastern Germany.

The Ruidous Ruminator wants to know who is going to get up at 2 o'clock Sunday morning to set the clock ahead one hour.

The Pachappa Philosopher says: The man who talks about himself never has a subject of very general interest.

No boy takes much stock in the theory that a whip-ping hurts his father worse than it hurts him.

THE WAR ALPHABETICALLY

Contributed to the Register by J. H. Meacham

A is for America, the home of the United States, And there is just one country that I think she hates.
B is for Belgium, just see how she has been treated, But Germany will pay for it when she is defeated.
C is for Canada, she is going to help.
D is for draft; we are at it yet.
E is for England, under an awful strain.
F is for France, she knows how to fight.
G is for Germany, a most cruel nation.
H is for Hoover; he is trying the feat
I is for Italy; she is into it, too.
J is for Jackie; our big guns they work.
K is for Kaiser, as most everyone knows.
L is for Lewis, you plainly can see.
M is for mother; she works late with joy.
N is for navy; we have one, too.
O is for "over the top" we will go.
P is for Pershing, and your friends you can tell.
Q is for quit, what the Kaiser will say.
R is for Roosevelt, a very poor resident.
S is for soldier, shot and shell.
T is for trench, where the fighting is done.
U is for U-boats, and we must take care.
V is for victory and ours it will be.
W is for Wilson, Hip! Hip! Hooray!
X is for Christmas when we don't use a C.
Y is for years since Germany began.
Z is for Zeppelin, in Germany they are found.
And the French have brought several of them down to the ground.
Now look, my dear readers, and you plainly can see,
That I have used every letter,
From A down to Z.

—J. H. M.

The Latest Style in Haberdashery

(Contributed to the Register by a Santa Ana Mother)

Dear Son O' Mine, in your khaki suit—
When you go "over there" the Germans to shoot,
Just remember to put in a shot for me,
For I am unable to cross the sea.
But I sure agree with General Sherman,
That war is hell, and every German
Who ever drank beer from out a stein
Must be driven back across the Rhine;
And the darned old Kaiser, and his son, little Willie,
Must be jolted and thumped and licked till they're silly.
And though old Hindenburg will think it a sin,
The United States army must march to Berlin.
Then things will be SHOWN to old Kaiser Bill—
He'll find Uncle Sam DOES things with a will.
For when our boys arrive in a bunch
The old German devil will have a grand hunch
That the Sammies won't play any flim-flam-film,
But will have a necktie party for him!

Heard in Santa Ana

Frank Ey, 201 East Ninth—"I want to say that I am opposed to making any changes in the exterior of our courthouse. I went all around the building last week, and it is my firm opinion that any cutting of its walls will damage its appearance materially. The county will have to have more office room. I favor getting a lot near the courthouse, and putting a new building upon it. Putting up a building at some corner of the courthouse grounds of an architecture different from the architecture of our present courthouse would be a big disappointment."

Mrs. Cornelia H. Phillips, 609 South Sycamore—"I was deeply impressed with the thought presented by John S. McGroarty in the Los Angeles Times, his article being copied by the Register, in which it is suggested that bells be rung at some fixed hour each day as a token of our thought for the men who are at the front. Mr. McGroarty suggested that California start the custom. Why not have Santa Ana start the custom? Other places would join in."

Price of Food Has Gone Up 25 Per Cent in Year

The greatest advance in food prices ever known in the United States has occurred within the last year. It takes \$1.25 to buy the same amount of food that \$1 would buy a year ago. In two years food has risen nearly 50 per cent. The most important articles of food are now almost out of reach of the poorer workers' families, especially meat, which working men need more than others.

Twenty-nine articles of most common use on a working man's table show an aggregate advance of 25 per cent. The United States Department of Labor proves this by official figures collected from retail stores in forty-five cities.

Potatoes and onions are the only articles that show a decline during the year.

Cornmeal went up 80 per cent.
Bacon increased 63 per cent.
Pork chops increased 53 per cent.
Beans advanced 82 per cent.
Milk and ham rose 31 per cent.
Lard 28 per cent.
Flour 23 per cent.

Eggs and bread 20 per cent.

Food was 32 per cent higher in December, 1917, than in December, 1916. It was 50 per cent more than in 1914 and 1915.

This means that every worker whose wages have not been increased 50 per cent since 1915 is that much worse off than he was two years ago, for the buying power of his day's wage has declined 50 per cent if his pay has remained stationary. The same thing applies to every consumer whose income has not increased.

Thousands of anti-profitier petitions have been forwarded to Washington by Capper's Weekly during the last six weeks, and more are being received daily. There is cheering evidence that this campaign is having its effect. There is the president's strong stand for a measure to put an end to profiteering, the putting out of business by the food administration of firms caught boosting prices, and the great increase in sentiment in Washington in regard to having the government take over all meat packing plants.

A Significant Omission

BY MARION HARLAND, OF THE VIGILANTES
The thoughtful student of the times Whom the whole Christian Family in which we live cannot fail to note a significant omission in the several pious poems issued by the Kaiser in summing up the results of each campaign. His exultant confidence that he has had the co-operation of high Heaven in every victory is nothing short of advertisement of co-partnership with the Ruler of the Universe. This he proclaims in so many words and in terms that may well shock the reverent reader of Holy Writ.

In none of these proclamations does he once make mention of Him for whom he calls the Christian Family in heaven and earth is named—the Savior of a sinful world.

I have called the omission "significant." It is too marked to be unintentional. To the Christian believer it does not seem possible that, at the height of his vainglory, the would-be monarch of the world dare blend with this "thanksgiving" thoughts of the Prince of Peace. The Apostle to the Gentiles would have condensed the ugly truth into six biting words—
"What concord has Christ with Belial?"

SNAP SHOTS

(From the Dallas (Tex.) News)

Another difference between a farmer and an agriculturist is that the latter would look for velvet beans in a millinery store.

As a general thing, a man doesn't have to cut his wisdom teeth before he quits patronizing a dentist who seems to have graduated from a garage.

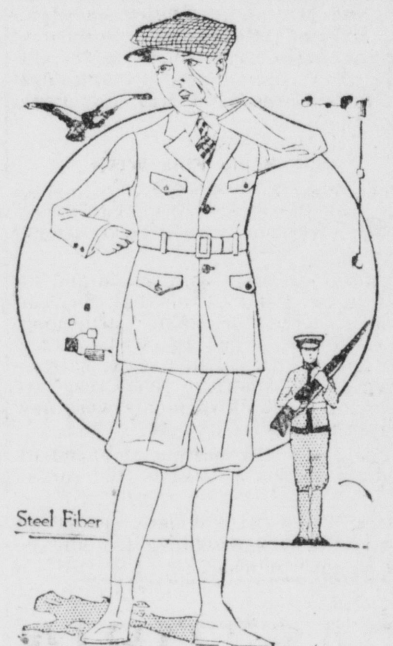
If the whole truth could be discovered, maybe it would be found that Eve put on fig leaves because she heard that was what the girls were wearing in Babylon.

It has just about gotten so in this country that when a candidate says he is a prohibitionist he has to explain whether he is the zone or the globe type.

Another thing, girlie: After you have spent an hour at charcoaling your lashes and penciling your brows you ought to be willing to help white-wash your mother.

Tillie Clinger says the only thing she likes about her present boarding house is that her windows are so soiled she can get ready for bed without lowering the shades.

Duplex springs have been invented by a Californian, an auxiliary spring coming into action if the main one breaks or is overloaded.



Easter Clothes for Boys

Our boys' department is bright with new suits, hats, shirts, blouses, neckwear, for both big and little boys.

Be sure and see the fine values and styles we have here.

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"The Boys' Store."

The most war-lustful imagination cannot picture the hands pierced on Calvary extended in blessing over thousands of ruined homes; roadsides lined with the corpses of violated women and innocent children; miles upon miles of desolated fields and once goodly cities blasted by shot and shell—in a word, over Armageddon, where the blood bathes the bride-bits of the horses—scenes that bring irresistibly to the mind the Prophet of Nazareth's own words:

"For then shall be Great Tribulation, such as was not from the beginning of the world unto this time—nor ever shall be!"

Yes! the Lucifer of the Twentieth Century is wise in his generation in avoiding sedulously aught that might remind the world he would conquer of the promised reign of Righteousness, the triumph of Love over Hate.

Furthermore, we write down the impious brag that as infidel to the Fatherhood of the God he blasphemes in arrogating to himself alliance with Deity in this most Unholy War. What place in the Kaiser's creed has the tender Parent Whose mercies are over all His works? Whose compassions fail not, and are new every morning?

"Who clears the grinding berg,
And guides the grinding floe,
He hears the cry of the little kit-fox,
And the lemming in the snow."

The Kaiser's god finds a feeble likeness in the pagan's Juggernaut, rolling right onward with a fixed smile upon his painted face, crushing and mangle old men and maidens, strong men of war and babies in his useless career.

To our shame be it said, we have seen matter for mirth in the monstrous iniquity of coupling the incommunicable Name with that of one who is daily proving his identity with the Anti-Christ of Prophecy. It is time that sane, reverent Christians should estimate aright sacrifice not to be spoken of lightly.

—W. S. S.—

A Slogan For 1918

(From the San Bernardino Sun)
Chairman Hays, the newly selected head of the Republican national committee, who is proving himself a real chairman in that he is bringing factions and factional leaders together for effective work, senses the situation exactly when he announces that the proper political slogan for the 1918 congressional elections must be the vigorous prosecution of the war until it leads to complete and absolute victory.

What has developed in Europe in the last few weeks more than ever emphasizes the truth of that declaration. Either Germany must be not only defeated but her military power utterly broken or she will proceed to dominate the world and no place will be safe for democracy. Peace without victory and peace by negotiation may have been dreams of other days, but no more. We are awake.

The press of the country is taking up the idea and sending it broadcast. For instance, from far New Hampshire comes this condensed platform as voiced by the Manchester "Union":
Every member of the next legislature, whatever his party affiliations or his views on domestic issues, must be a war-till-victory American.

Close at home we find an echoing sentiment in the Los Angeles "Times" approving and quoting a similar sentiment from the New York "Herald," the Los Angeles journal thus putting it:

Let both the Republican and the Democratic parties maintain their organizations for the coming election. The Democratic platform of 1916 contained about 5000 words and the Republican platform nearly 3000. These platforms—"Herald"—can be each abbreviated to three words—"Win the War." Yes, and let no man be nominated for office by either party who is not 100 per cent American in his every thought. ONE HUNDRED PER CENT!

Whatever other issues there may be evolved in the elections of 1918 which will select a new congress, this one principle must be kept to the fore—"Win the war," and "War till victory." All other questions are secondary and subsidiary, except as they may be considered and put into platforms and enacted into legislation without affecting in the slightest degree the main issue.

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TONIGHT LAST TIME

Bill HART In His Latest Artcraft picture
"WOLVES OF THE RAIL"
SIX REELS.

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DOINGS OF CLUBS
PERSONALS

SURPRISE DINNER

Mrs. G. L. Anderson Honored Yesterday by Company of Relatives and Friends

Just before the dinner hour arrived yesterday, Mrs. G. L. Anderson of Cypress avenue was astonished to see a company of people entering her home loaded down with all sorts of good things to eat, in celebration of her seventy-fourth birthday.

The home was quickly decorated with the many beautiful flowers brought by the self-invited company and the table was decorated with beautiful sweet peas.

The home people supplied the deliciously cooked chicken and other "substantials" for the feast and the nieces of the honored lady, who came from Corona brought the ice cream and cake, which gleamed with but sixteen candles, as the guests said that Mrs. Anderson was only sweet sixteen to them.

Besides Dr. and Mrs. Anderson, those present were Mrs. H. L. Glass and family, Mrs. Perle Glass and family and Mrs. Nettie Thurbury of Corona; Mrs. Samuel Dickey of Pomona; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smiley and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. McBurney, Mr. and Mrs. L. McBurney, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. McBurney, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McBurney and Mrs. Roy Deas and family.

Club Doing Fine Work

The West Side Sewing Club met in the Fifth Street School bungalow yesterday afternoon with a large attendance.

Thirty garments were made and fifteen mended and all felt that they had spent a very profitable afternoon. One hundred and twenty-two garments were turned in for the salvage drive of the American Red Cross last week, of which 53 garments were new and 39 mended.

They have also put out 28 garments locally, making a total of 150 turned in.

If any one could donate the use of another sewing machine, it would be much appreciated. Phone 827-W.

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Veribest Oleo, per lb. 32c
Lily Oleo, per lb. 31c
Swifts Premium Oleo, per lb. 35c
Dixie Brand Hominy, per can 6c
Campbell's Soup, per can 10c
Rex Spices, 2 oz. cans 7c
Bishop's Cocoa, 1 lb. pkg. 23c
E. C. Corn Flakes, per pkg. 7c
Helmets Pork and Beans, No. 1, 25c
Cans, 3 for 25c
Sam Hill's Special Blend Coffee, per lb. 25c
Hill's Red Can Coffee, lb. can 37c
M. J. B. Coffee, 1 lb. can 35c
3 lb. can 95c
5 lb. can \$1.55
Royal Baking Powder, lb. can 40c
Rumford Baking Powder, lb. can 22c
Del Monte Raisins, per pkg. 11c
Muscatel Raisins, 3 lbs. 25c
Del Monte Catsup, pt. bottle 20c
Del Monte Sliced Peaches,
No. 2 1/2 can 22c
Solar Sliced Pineapple, No. 2 1/2 can 19c
Melrose Sliced Pineapple,
No. 2 can, 2 for 25c

—W. S. S.—

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A WAR TIME TOAST

Here's to the blue of the wind-swept North, when they meet on the fields of France;
May the spirit of Grant be over them all, as the sons of the North advance!
Here's to the gray of the sun-kissed South, when they meet on the fields of France;
May the spirit of Lee be over them all, as the sons of the South advance!
Here's to the Blue and Gray as one, when they meet on the fields of France;
May the spirit of God be over them all, as the sons of the flag advance!
—E. L. Mato in the Buffalo Courier.

ELECTS OFFICERS

Past Matrons Ass'n. Hold Annual Meeting at Masonic Temple Yesterday

The annual business meeting of the Past Matrons' Association was held at the Masonic Temple yesterday afternoon and the following officers were elected for the coming year: President—Mrs. J. R. Medlock. Vice President—Mrs. George Balderston. Secretary—Mrs. H. C. Kellogg. Treasurer—Mrs. W. L. Tubbs. Miss Pauline Reinhaus will entertain the ladies at their next meeting, April 21.

ENTERTAINS BOY SCOUTS

Scoutmaster A. J. Lasby Host to Lads at Merry Gathering at New Home

The Boy Scouts of the First Methodist church were the first to have the honor of being entertained at the lovely new home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lasby on East Seventeenth street, into which they moved a week ago.

Mr. Lasby is the scoutmaster of this troop and entertained about twenty boys. The first part of the evening was passed with a business meeting. Merry games were indulged in and later in the evening the Scouts were served with an abundance of ice cream, cake, macaroons and candied walnuts.

Those participating in the hospitality of the Lasby home were Ernest Saunby, Howard Barrows, Edmund Turner, Edmund Murphy, Edmund Smiley, Glen Leak, Glen Kelly, William Winters, Carl Wisseman, Gilbert Dunstan, Ferris Scott, Howard Albright, Victor Walker, James Blaine, Glen Edwards, Merritt White and Gail Harmon.

Kansans Take Notice
The Kansas-All Southern California picnic has been postponed to Saturday, April 13, and will be held at Sylamore Grove, Los Angeles, according to Ed L. Kerns president.

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Probable eye strain
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Pleasant Club Meeting
Miss Verga Trumble was hostess on Monday evening to the club of which she is a member, at her home on Bush street. The time was pleasantly passed with knitting, sewing and Victrola music, and late in the evening, dainty refreshments were served.

Those in attendance were Misses Hattie Powers, Edwina Collins, Hazel Shields, Ruby Cameron, Arlie Cravat, Irene Cramer, Pauline Jacobs, Ruth Whitney, Ella McLean, Marjorie Mc-

PAST AND PRESENT

Rev. J. A. Stevenson Talks Interestingly to Santa Ana W. C. T. U. Yesterday

Another very interesting meeting of the Santa Ana W. C. T. U. was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. H. Rankin, 815 Spurgeon street. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. W. S. Rose, the new officers being in their chairs at this meeting.

The opening number was a sacred selection, "The Palms," played on the Victrola, and Mrs. E. P. Stafford led the devotional services, making some very appropriate remarks. Rev. J. A. Stevenson led in prayer.

A large number of ladies was present, and the first meeting of the new year's work started off with renewed vigor and enthusiasm. The subject for this meeting was "The Work of the Past and Plans for the Future." The program was in charge of Mrs. W. E. Ward.

Rev. J. A. Stevenson was invited to make a talk on the subject, and in his usual jovial manner, he reviewed the past as it was as long back as he could remember and the great changes that have taken place since. When one looks at the prohibition map now with white and black states, it shows the marvelous strides that prohibition has made and how fast it is becoming the most popular subject of the day, and we are seeing the end of the legalized liquor traffic. Yet there are other problems now, and there will be, that will draw our attention. The problem of entertainment is going to be one of the great problems. Folks seem to be entertained all the time.

The future of the work of the W. C. T. U. looks bright and its labors have not been in vain. The names of thirteen new members were read.

Mrs. E. H. Prince, chairman of the W. C. T. U. "Drive," gave a report of the finances which have been divided. Santa Ana Union has for its share \$559.43 with some unpaid pledges yet to come in. It will be decided at the next meeting as to what "War Service Work" will be done. A movement was started at this meeting to ask the public all over the city and county to join with the W. C. T. U. at noon every day with a prayer to God for "victory" and peace, to voice this prayer during the duration of the war.

The meeting closed with prayers for our soldier boys, for victory and for peace. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Robert Anderson, 211 East Tenth street.

To Give "The Mob"
The Applied Drama Class of the Junior College is working on what promises to be the biggest dramatic event of the year for the college. Under the able direction of E. C. Phillips, the class will stage "The Mob," by John Galsworthy, on April 5, 1918.

Galsworthy is one of the foremost of modern writers, and "The Mob" is perhaps the best known of his plays.

It is a four act play, cleverly written and of especial interest at the present time. The play depends chiefly upon the interpretation of its lines and the excellent directing which the cast is receiving bids fair to make the presentation a great success.

"Lest We Forget"
A movement has been started to ask all the people of Santa Ana and Orange county at noon every day to lift their hearts to God in prayer for "victory" in the great struggle for righteousness that is now being waged on the battlefields of Europe, and in which our own soldier boys are taking such an active part, and that "Peace" may soon come to all the earth.

Tustin W. C. T. U. Meeting
The members of the Tustin W. C. T. U. will hold a parliamentary drill at the time of their regular meeting at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the Advent Christian church. The program has been carefully prepared and no doubt will be interesting. Everybody is invited to attend.

Represented at Oakland
The Fullerton Woman's Club did not elect any delegates to the State Federation of Woman's Clubs, which opened at Oakland yesterday, as not one member could be found who could not away and make the trip. The Eboli Club elected delegates, and the directors also made their president, Mrs. W. J. Renshaw, a special delegate, but her health did not permit her to go. But Fullerton will not be without representation, as Mrs. A. H. Dunlap, Jr., who left for San Francisco on Monday to visit her sons, who are in the naval training school, has been delegated by Mrs. Renshaw to represent the Eboli Club, and she will attend several sessions of the federation.

For Pasadena Friends
Mr. and Mrs. George Heil were hosts last evening at a pleasant little dinner, in compliment to their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McDade of South Pasadena. Mrs. McDade having formerly been Miss Naoma Lilley, principal of Spurgeon school. Mrs. McDade will be a guest at the Heil home until Saturday.

Besides the family and Mr. and Mrs. McDade, covers were laid at dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Lamb. The table was beautiful with its centerpiece of delicate freesias and blue-eyed violets.

The evening hours sped happily away with music and lively conversation.

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McPherson & Melton at Orange want all your eggs.

W. S. S.
Lost: Black suit case from auto between Santa Ana and Montebello. Return to Register office.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES
IN SANTA ANA
Ly Kans, 25, and Anna Buffington, 27, both of Long Beach.

Boys' Clothes
for Easter

From the Store for Boys
Real Clothes for Real Boys

For this store knows their likes and dislikes. And because we control the sale in Santa Ana of the genuine Oregon Cassimere all wool suits, we believe mothers will find it particularly advantageous this season to outfit their sons in their entirety here.

Special assortments of spring and Easter suits, with pants, in many cases, reinforced at seat and knees; priced at a very low margin of profit, \$5.50 to \$15.

Specially Featured Boys' Spring Suits at \$8.50 to \$10

These of new spring woollens in smart mixtures in green, gray and brown—with loose belts all around, with trench buckles, with slant pockets; and sizes from 6 to 18 years.

New Spring Caps

In a wide variety of checks, plaids and fancy patterns.

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Japanese Crepe and fine Madras Blouses \$1.15

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Chemistry Club Meeting

The Chemistry Club of the high school held its regular meeting recently. After roll call, the business was conducted by President Wehrly.

The club voted to have a winter bake at Laguna April 1.

The meeting was then turned over to Prof. T. B. Kelly, who discussed the subject of "Poisons Met with in Legal Cases." Experiments were performed to test for cyanide, arsenic and strychnine.

Personals

Mrs. W. N. Garst and daughter left today for Alberta, Canada, travelling over the Southern Pacific. They have been visiting at the home of Jacob B. Wine.

H. A. Libbey has gone to Eureka, Cal., departing yesterday. He was booked by the Southern Pacific.

Charles Morris, local bean buyer for the California Packing Corporation, is in San Francisco on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Garcenter, who have been wintering here and at Long Beach, left yesterday for their home at Des Moines, Ia., they travelled over the Santa Fe.

Maurice Ganey, a pilot at San Pedro, has grown weary of the water and came here yesterday to take a Santa Fe train to San Francisco.

Miss Pearl Pankey was a passenger over the Santa Fe today, with Kansas City as her destination.

Mrs. Ed Walker and two daughters, who have been in the city for some weeks, departed today for Kansas City. They were booked by the Santa Fe.

John Poole, who has been in a school for the blind at Los Angeles, was the guest yesterday of his aunt, Mrs. W. L. McKenney and uncle, B. F. Brady, at Huntington Beach.

The young man is the son of Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Poole of National City, and is in very poor health. Mrs. Poole is a sister of Mrs. McKenney and Mr. Brady.

Mrs. James Sleeper was a morning passenger to Los Angeles.

Mrs. Roy Roepke passed the day in Los Angeles.

Miss Emma Kryhl was among Santa Anans in Los Angeles today.

Mrs. M. Tidball returned last evening from a four weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Edith Tidball Wieman and other friends in Sacramento.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stuart of Newark, N. Y., are stopping for a day or two with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Perkins.

A. J. Perkins has returned from a business trip to McFarland, Kern county. He reports the crops in that vicinity much benefited by the rains.

H. F. Sprague and family and C. M. Sprague left today for their home at Grunty Center, Ia. C. M. Sprague is the father of E. B. Sprague, cashier of the Orange County Trust and Savings Bank, and has been spending the winter here at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. A. J. Lasby, left this afternoon for their home in St. Paul, Minn.

W. S. S.
One, two—it's good to chew. Three, four—they all want more. Five, six—it comes in sticks. Seven, eight—the flavor's great. Nine, ten—come again.

W. S. S.
Lost: Black suit case from auto between Santa Ana and Montebello. Return to Register office.

W. S. S.
Free Coffee! Free Demonstration! All day Friday at the Pacific Coffee Store, corner Third and Spurgeon.

Real Estate Transfers

Furnished by the Orange County Title Company
A. J. Crookshank et al to Santa Ana Valley Irrigation company—Right of way over part lot L, Stafford & Tustin tract.

John A. Fairall et al to Helen M. Wilson—Lot 5, block 10, Fullerton.

C. L. Lancaster et ux to W. H. Kindig—Lots 9 and 10, block 8, Seashore Colony tract.

Same to same—Lot 3, block N, Seashore Colony tract.

Catherine L. Phillips et conj to T. B. Talbert—SE 1/4 section 8-5-11.

T. B. Talbert et ux to Lee A. Phillips—Same as above.

J. E. Kellogg et ux to Elmer S. Barnes—Part lot 331, block 13, Irvine subdivision.

Elmer S. Barnes to Katie Blanken—Part lot 331, block 13, Irvine subdivision.

J. M. Wine et ux to Virna M. Blackmore—Lot 1, block B, Halladay's addition.

Virna M. Blackmore to J. M. Wine et ux—10 acres 2 miles SE of Santa Ana.

Delia B. Waters to Lidia M. Green—10 acres in SW 1/4 section 17-4-11.

Lidia M. Greene to Delia B. Waters et al—Same as above.

R. G. Spurgeon et ux to Dixie Ranch company—Part NW 1/4 section 12-4-10.

William F. Espolt et ux to John H. Kruse Jr.—9.37 acres in section 6-3-10 Sallie Copeland to James D. Copeland et al—same at 51916.

Wm. D. Neil et ux to Perry Ivan Neil—undivided one-half interest in SW 1/4 SW 1/4 SE 1/4 section 23-4-11.

Perry Ivan Neil to Lizzie B. Violet—same as above, all interest.

Lizzie B. Violet to Perry Ivan Neil—Lot 7, Chandler's addition.

Amelia V. Lawton to Jessie Lawton Taylor—S 1/2 acres W 1/2 SW 1/4 section 23-4-10.

William Blaylock et al to Irene Bowen—Part lot 5, block 35, Yorba Linda tract.

Irene Bowen to William Blaylock et al—Same as above.

Bayside Land Co. to F. O. Miller et ux—Lots 20 and 22, block 211, Bayview tract.

David Cole et ux to John Walker—Lots 1 and 2, David Cole's second addition.

Marie Epperly to Leonard E. Baker—Part lots 8, 9 and 10, block J, Ross addition to Santa Ana.

WANTED—Old shelving. Phone 210. Mr. K.

FOR RENT—Pianos. Terms \$4 per month. Chandler Music Store, 111 W. 4th St.

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching from fancy thoroughbred pens of S. C. Black Minorcas, S. C. Rhode Island Reds, S. C. Light Brahmans, Pearl Guineas and Toulouse Geese. H. L. Heffner, 104 Main avenue, Huntington Beach. Telephone 14.

FOR SALE—160 acres cotton near Chandler, partly improved, \$30. 160 Casa Grande Valley, near station, fine soil, partly improved, \$35. 1918 N. 11th St., Phoenix. Owner.

FOR SALE—Heavy work team; might trade for Ford car. Phone Orange 35-RI.

FOR SALE—12 acres barley in field; will be ripe for hay soon. Fine crop. Inquire Dan Newton. Home phone 572. Garden Grove.

FOR SALE—Reset onions, 20 cents per 100, or \$1.50 per 1000. Phone 1025-W.

FOR SALE—Four burner Garland gas stove. Call 105 S. Birch.

FOR SALE—Good barley hay, \$30 per ton, also hay for \$20. Call 2nd and Stearns St. W. B. Culver.

WANTED—Man with heavy team to plow and harrow 5 acres in Delia. Call 858. Ask for Mr. Finch.

WANTED—100 ft. of second hand 1 in. water pipe. Phone 26-31, Tustin.

FOR SALE—Orchard farming tools, I. N. McManus, Holt ave. Phone (Sunset) Tustin 25-R2.

FOR SALE—Corn fodder. Hewes Ranch, El Modena, Cal.

WANTED—Mules to rent. Hewes Ranch, El Modena, Cal.

FOR SALE—10 acres, \$6500, half cash; 7 acres, \$1000, balance on time; cash and walnuts. Under price for quick sale. J. Edmund Snow, room 14, First National Bank Building. Telephone Sunset 371-R.

FOR SALE—Dodge Bros. motor car; fine condition; partly going east. Call Haley's Garage, corner 11th and Bush.

WANTED—Five shares water stock for season; also man to cut wood. C. V. Davis. Phone 38.

FOR SALE—Make offer and terms, house, barn, chicken houses, etc., 2 lots, side walk and curb, corner of 2nd and Grand Ave. E. E. Hardy, 3rd and Main. Tel. 1218.

WANTED—Two truck drivers for the Wilmington House. Steady positions for the right parties. Apply Smart & Final Co., Santa Ana.

EXCHANGE—Clear house and lot in Albany, Oregon, value \$2000; will exchange for anything here. Prentice. Phone 119-J.

FOR SALE—Special bargains in ladies' and gent's second hand bicycles. Call George Post, Orange 139-J.

LOST OR STRAYED—2 mares and 4 horses from Victor D. Cutter camp, 1-1-4 mi. E. of Santa Ana Sugar Co.

FOR SALE—5 room furnished house, \$18. Apply 605 East Second.

FOR SALE—4 room house on large lot. Price \$500. Terms \$50 cash, balance \$10 per month. F. S. McClain, 529 E. 4th.

SECTION HEADS
APPOINT MEN
FOR BOND
DRIVE

Subchairmen of District Divisions Named For Soliciting Organization

Another step has been taken in perfecting a local organization for the sale of the third Liberty Loan bonds through the appointment by the district chairmen of sub-chairmen for their districts. The city has been divided into four sections with a chairman assigned for each. The district chairmen are passing responsibility on to four chairmen in each district, and these in turn may call others to their assistance in organization for the drive.

J. A. Harvey, who is chairman for the northwest district, has made five divisions of that territory and has named the following as sub-chairmen: D. N. Kelly, Rev. A. T. O'Rear, B. D. Peterson, R. G. Tuthill, Alex Brownridge.

The other district chairmen have made four divisions in each. The district chairmen and sub-chairmen are as follows:

Walter Vandermast, northeast section: H. J. Forgy, T. A. Winbiger, H. C. Dawes, G. H. Randall.

J. G. Mitchell, southeast section: W. L. Duggan, J. D. Wilson, Fred Seifert, E. L. House.

S. H. Finley, southwest section: J. S. Smart, Clyde Horton, C. S. Kendall, E. C. Martin.

W. S. S.
Candy Easter eggs, with your name on them, 10c, at the Dragon.

W. S. S.
WATCH STOLEN WHILE OWNER OUT TO LUNCH

Frank Niver, a barber at 317 East Fourth street, is minus a watch. The watch was left in a coat hanging on the coat rack, and the time piece was stolen while he was out to lunch. A Mexican is believed to have been the thief.

W. S. S.
McPherson

HUNS DISREGARD HUGE GAPS IN THEIR MASSED RANKS

French Meeting Enemy Body to Body in Death-Lock; Fight Like Wild Cats

BY WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN
THE FIELD, March 27.—As the battle
develops, the Anglo-French view
coming events calmly and courageously.
The British are holding the
gates to Albert determinedly against
the Hindenburg masses as this is
cabled.

Along the Pozieres ridge, astride
the Somme, across the obliterated
villages of Ovillers, Warlencourt,
Lesars, Piers, Longueval, Montauban,
Mametz and Courcellette, the Ger-
mans are striving their corpses as
they slowly press forward.

The battle undoubtedly has not yet
reached its crucial stage.

Hindenburg is striving desperately
to break through—now here, now
there—unmindful of the huge gaps
torn in his massed ranks by the British
guns.

The German storm troops are so
thick the gaps close automatically,
like holes in soft dough.

Simultaneously with lunges in the
direction of Albert, the most furious
attacks are being flung southwest-
ward against a line through Rosieres
and the St. Gobain forest, curving
outward toward the road to Roye and
Noyon.

Between the last two named, as-
sault follows assault in rapid suc-
cession. (Hais has admitted the cap-
ture of Roye and Noyon since Simms'
dispatch was filed.)

French Resort to Knives

The French and British are forcing
the enemy to pay dearly for every
inch of ground. Nesle was taken on-
ly after furious combats, the French
resorting to bayonets, grenades and
knives, fighting body to body in a
death-lock.

Much the same scenes have been
enacted by the British at Geravil-
lers, Ligny-Thillery, Montauban and
elsewhere, withdrawing only when or-
dered or by sheer weight of numbers.

German spies continue to spread
panic among civilians. Refugees from
one village alarm the people in the
next with the most absurd rumors,
which become as facts five miles
away.

Warning has been issued against
Muncheusen tales. Civilians have
been asked to turn over suspects to
the authorities.

Inevitably refugees are war's most
pitiful spectacle. The military has
encouraged their exodus, owing to the
enemy shelling and bombing towns
far behind the lines. The refugees
are given every possible aid.

(At the time Simms' dispatch was
filed, the Germans were within three
miles of Albert, pressing in upon the
city from three points—the north-
east, east and southeast.)

British Hold Pozieres Ridge

The British evidently still were
holding Pozieres ridge, where a pre-
vious dispatch from Simms men-
tioned strong machine gun emplacements,
but their left at this point had been
bent sharply back to Ovillers, which
is three miles northeast of Albert,
just north of the main Albert-Bapa-
ume highway.

On the east the enemy has reached
Mametz, about four miles from
Albert on the Albert-Comblis high-
way.

To the southeast the Germans are
before Bray, located on the Somme
five miles from Albert.

Bapaume is about twelve miles
northeast of Albert. Warlencourt is
two and a half miles southwest of
Bapaume; Lesars is one and a half
miles southwest of Warlencourt;
Courcellette is midway between Al-
bert and Bapaume; Montauban, is
three miles west of Comblis; Longue-
val is three miles northwest of Cam-
bles.

The next big city in the German
line's advance is Amiens, eighteen
miles southwest of Albert, on a con-
tinuation of the main Albert-Bapaume
highway. Amiens is eighty-four
miles north of Paris, on the Somme,
and marks the high tide of the Ger-
man invasion in 1914 at this point.
Amiens is a city of about 100,000
population and is an important manufac-
turing and transportation center.

Rosieres mentioned as the point
against which a heavy assault is be-
ing directed, is thirteen miles south
of Albert. Roye is nine miles south
of Rosieres, while Noyon is twelve
miles southwest of Roye. Nesle, is
eight miles northeast of Roye.

—W. S. S.—

Hot Cross buns Friday at the
Dragon.

—W. S. S.—

An Awful Retribution

"Henry," said his father-in-law, as
he called his daughter's spouse into
the library and locked the door, "you
have lived with me now for over two
years."

"Yes, father."

"In all that time I haven't asked
you a penny for board."

"No, sir." (Wonderingly.)

"In all your little family quarrels
I have always taken your part."

"Always, sir."

"I have even paid some of your
bills."

"A good man, father."

"Then the small favor I am about
to ask of you will no doubt be grant-
ed."

"Most certainly, sir."

"Thanks. Then I want you to tell
your mother-in-law that those tickets
for the supper-club dance which she
picked up in my room this morning
must have accidentally fallen out of
your pocket, and we'll call it square."

—TIT-BITS.

WAR NEWS IN BRIEF

NO REASON FOR PESSIMISM

By ED L. KEEN

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

LONDON, March 27.—The seventh day of the big German drive finds
no reason for pessimism and increasing reasons for confidence, of which the
following are outstanding:

Although they have regained most of the territory they had lost since
1916, the Germans are three or four days behind their "time tables."

Notwithstanding they are using a third of all their western forces on an
eighth part of the line, including two thirds of their entire strategic reserve,
the indications are now that the enemy's main object—a wedge between the
French and British—cannot be accomplished. The new junctioning is most
firm.

The allied reserve army is not yet participating, presumably awaiting a
favorable opportunity to strike the weakest point in the lengthening German
flanks.

All authorities agree the British retirement is perfectly orderly. There
is no flight, no panic. They are maintaining their alignment throughout. It
is stated authoritatively that most of the losses in men and materials have
already been replaced.

Meantime, the attackers must be losing three or four times as many men
as the defenders.

The overwhelming allied air supremacy is obvious. The home morale
is splendid. The only press criticism of the government is for continuing to
allow the Germans to make the first announcement of their accomplishments.

HUNS MAKE RASH PROMISES

By JOSEPH SHAPLEN

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

PETROGRAD, March 26.—Russian military officials and delegates to the
recent Brest-Litovsk peace conference declare German officers openly dis-
cussed the then forthcoming west front offensive.

The Germans, they said, promised to take Paris within two months and
make a general German peace by Christmas.

FRENCH APPRECIATE AMERICAN AID

PARIS, March 27.—A French military commentator, writing in reference
to the situation today, says concerning the Americans: "At various points
on the front our allies are bringing to the British their valiant support."

GERMANS SEEK DESTRUCTION OF FRENCH CIVILIAN MORALE AND BRITISH MILITARY POWER

By HENRY WOOD

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WITH THE FRENCH ARMIES IN
THE FIELD, March 26 (Night).—

Germany's offensive appears to
embrace two great objectives—an effort
to break up Great Britain militarily
and an effort to break down the
French civilian morale by terrorizing
Paris and other open cities.

I have just returned from Paris and
other cities where bombs have been
dropped. There I ascertained that the
civilian morale is equally as high as
the army's. Both are determined, at
any sacrifice, to ensure victory.

The Pollux on the entire front, after
four months of the most intensive
work in defensive preparations, today
are keenly awaiting extension of the
defensive to the French sectors. In-
spired by the British resistance, they
are determined to demonstrate their
courage and ability are equal to that
of their allies on the north. Fully half
the German divisions are now facing
the British, while a majority of the
remainder are in the German crown
prince's command.

Military experts consider that
dynamic reasons are affecting the
German offensive plans. Should the
Bavarian crown prince's offensive
meet with a measure of success, it is
considered highly probable the Ger-
man crown prince will take advantage
of the situation to launch a second
offensive in the Champagne region.

While the French did not permit
themselves to be lured into the trap,
nevertheless the last pre-arranged
battlefield exists unchanged today.
The Germans apparently are seeking
again to utilize the ground which is
most favorable to the Germans and
unfavorable to the allies.

The entire plain extending north-
west and south of St. Quentin was
denuded of every tree, house and other
obstacle which might serve to protect
the French troops. Even the knot
on the southern extremity of the plain,
where Prince Kietel Friedrich's hunt-
ing lodge is located, was denuded of
everything except the lodge itself.

Through the Holman forest southwest
of St. Quentin the Germans cut vast
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go for \$5.95

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DRESS SHOES,
go for \$4.95

WOMEN'S \$4.50, \$5.00 and
\$6.00 SHOES, Pumps and
Oxfords, go for \$3.95

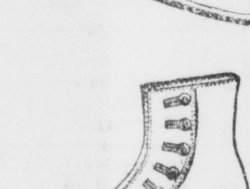
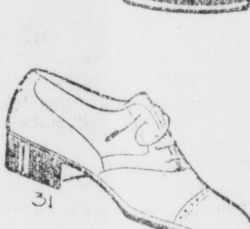
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PUMPS, SHOES and OX-
FORDS, go for \$2.45

WOMEN'S \$3.00 and \$3.50
SHOES, broken lines,
go for \$1.95

WOMEN'S LOW SHOES, small
sizes, values to \$5.00,
go for \$1.00

WOMEN'S WHITE CANVAS
PUMPS AND OXFORDS,
values to \$3.00, go for \$1.45



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404 West 4th St.

Interesting Letter From Senator King in France

Writing to his brother-in-law, Cecil
Grigsby, the real estate operator, Sen-
ator Lyman M. King of Redlands,
gives some interesting and intimate
details on life in France. Senator
King is in the army Y. M. C. A. work
and in his letter he says, in part:

"Naturally you want me to write as
fully as possible in regard to the work
here. I regret that the censorship con-
ditions are such that it is impossible
to go into these things. One cannot
write much except about the weather
and to describe little incidents, with-
out revealing where they have taken
place. My own work is largely office
work and the management of the es-
tablishment and building up of new in-
stallations. You know, of course, from
reading in the magazines and papers
what the Y. M. C. A. attempts to do.
It aims to provide places in all army
camps and centers where the soldiers
may get a little touch of home. It fixes
up what it terms 'huts,' which may be
either rooms in the established bar-
acks or rough buildings constructed
for the purpose, or double tents. It
tries to make these warm and to light
them well, to offer reading and writing
materials to the men, and to sell them
at cost candies, chocolate, cigarettes,
cigars, tobacco, cakes, chewing gum,
tooth paste, razor blades, soap, jam,
handkerchiefs—all that sort of stuff;
also to serve them hot chocolate, tea
and coffee and sandwiches and in
some places meals. There is generally
a victrola in each camp and all
sorts of entertainments are held from
boxing matches to religious services.

The aim is to make the soldiers so
satisfied that they will not desert into
bad habits; that they will send their
money home instead of squandering
it, often in ways that are not the best.
I have five points under my jurisdic-
tion. It sounds easy, but it isn't. I
am generally at the letter writing end
of the job until 11 or 12 at night and
am at the office at 9 in the morning.
We are conducting a cafe, with a large
hall in connection, in the town in
which I am located, as a central place,
to get the boys off the streets when
they come to the city. We have six
fine American women in this cafe. To-

night in the concert hall we have E. H.
Sothern, a baritone singer and a fine
violinist from Paris.

The job is a hard one because of the
fact that in doing a big job and trying
to do it so fast we keep ahead of the
supply of materials. It is an awful job
to get a couple of rooms fitted up in
a new place, hard to get the materials,
hard to get the labor—hard to get
everything. The wonder is that we
get along at all. And naturally the
boys want everything they have been
accustomed to and wonder why they
cannot get it. I have just been out in
a worn-out Henry Ford which is at my
disposal some of the time and made a
rich haul for the boys in one of the
huts—five boxes of cigars and 49 packs
of Melachrino cigarettes. These will
last just about 15 minutes when the
fellows see them. I have succeeded
in renting a piano for each of my
places, have one moving picture ma-
chine in operation and two more prom-
ised and have one victrola, with three
more on the road. I do so little—I
seem to accomplish so little—I am in
daily expectation of being fired for
general inefficiency. It seems as
though a ten-year-old boy ought to be
able to move faster than I do.

The Y. M. C. A. uses men to drive
its cars; to man its huts as secretar-
ies, selling goods, talking with the
men and a good many in the general
organization as I am. Some are in the
background, as far as the war is con-
cerned, others are up toward the
front. A fellow has to do what he is
told.

Some 600 or 700 men and women
have arrived since I came. The wom-
en help principally in the canteens,
making and serving chocolate, sand-
wiches, etc. No man and his wife are
allowed to come. That is an army
rule which the Y. M. C. A. also uses.
It has given a good many people a
pretty hard job.

The man who preceded me here as
divisional secretary is down with
pneumonia. I was put on in his place,
having been the business agent only
here before that. The posts of impor-
tance generally go to old Y. M. C. A.
men. The outsiders are looked upon
as hardly up to standard. It is an or-
ganization of and by Y. M. C. A. sec-
retaries, and it has many shortcomings.
Yet in spite of all that it has done a
magnificent work. If it were a little
broader in character, it would do even
a greater work. Over here it stands
even higher than the Red Cross, just
because it has had a chance to do
more up to this time. The Red Cross
looks after the men when they are ill
—the Y. M. C. A. when they are well.
We have had no casualties to speak
of yet and the Y. M. C. A. has had the
big job up to this time. The Red
Cross will come in later. It has done
a large work with the French and Bel-
gians and English. Over here we see
the weaknesses of both organizations
and are apt to overlook the great work
which they do, but in one could hear,
as I do, what the soldiers say about
the Y. M. C. A. He or she would feel
that a magnificent thing indeed is be-
ing done. The soldiers see the things
we are able to do and kindly overlook
what we would like to do but cannot.

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A Lecture Trial

"The Case Against Christian Science"

(Mrs. Eddy vs. Mrs. Eddy)

—BY—
FREDERICK W. PEABODY, BOSTON, MASS.

—IN—
THE FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Wednesday, March 27th, 8 p. m. sharp.

"The Indictment"

"COUNT ONE—THAT CHRISTIAN SCIENCE IS A SHAM RELIGION"

"COUNT TWO—THAT CHRISTIAN SCIENCE IS A BOGUS HEALING
SYSTEM"

"COUNT THREE—THAT CHRISTIAN SCIENCE, IN BOTH ITS RE-
LIGIOUS AND ITS HEALING ASPECTS, IS A MONEY-MAKING
SCHEME, A BUSINESS, AND NOTHING MORE"

"COUNT FOUR—THAT CHRISTIAN SCIENCE TEACHINGS RE-
GARDING MARRIAGE ARE DESTRUCTIVE OF SOCIAL MORAL-
ITY AND, SHOULD THEY PREVAIL, WOULD BE SUBVERSIVE
OF CIVILIZATION."

"THE EVIDENCE"

"The evidence supporting the indictment is of a
strictly legal character accumulated by Mr. Peabody in
four important professional employments:

(1) A suit for libel against Mrs. Eddy in which, ac-
cording to the plaintiff, Mrs. Josephine C. Woodbury, he ex-
amined under oath in open court many of Mrs. Eddy's
closest advisers.

(2) The examination of many witnesses by Mr. Pea-
body as attorney for McClure's Magazine and the taking
of their sworn testimony in support of "The History of
Christian Science" published in the Magazine.

(3) Investigations and affidavits made and procured
by Mr. Peabody for Rev. Minot J. Savage in order that
legally evidential proof of the fraudulent character of
Mrs. Eddy's pretensions might be perpetuated.

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Government Regulations Versus Public Ownership

(Contributed to the Register by S. Armor of Orange)

From our earliest recollection of the eastern states and the middle west down to the time of the Civil War, the financial and industrial interests of the country were at a low ebb. Doubtless the unreliability of the money in circulation and the lack of manufacturing industries were responsible for the dearth of employment even at starvation wages. It seems that during this period, and even farther back, the monetary system was left to private enterprise with possibly some state regulation. The money in circulation consisted almost entirely of bank notes, which seldom passed at par, but were discounted more and more the further they strayed away from the place of issue. "Bank detectors," as they were called, were published daily for each state or business center; but they could only record the discounts and the bank failures after they occurred. The following quotation from President James Buchanan's first annual message shows that the distressful conditions observed by us were general throughout the United States:

"We have possessed all the elements of material wealth in rich abundance, and yet, notwithstanding all these advantages, our country, in its monetary interests, is at the present moment in a deplorable condition. In the midst of unsurpassed plenty in all the productions of agriculture and in all the elements of natural wealth, we find our manufactures suspended, our public works retarded, our private enterprise of different kinds abandoned, and thousands of useful laborers thrown out of employment and reduced to want."

In a message to Congress January 8, 1861, President Buchanan mentioned the fact that "no responsible banker had offered to take any considerable sum of treasury notes at par at a lower rate of interest than twelve per cent," as evidence that the people feared an impending conflict. And yet six months later, when the war had actually begun, plenty of money was forthcoming to purchase "treasury notes of the United States bearing interest at the rate of 7.30 per cent per annum, to meet the expenses of the war." The total amount of these "seven-thirties" issued before the close of the war was \$830,000,000. The confidence of the people, which had been lost by thirty years of bad financing, was immediately restored when Abraham Lincoln took the helm of the ship of state.

The foregoing reminiscences and quotations show that wages were very low over fifty years, because the supply of labor greatly exceeded the demand, and the demand was restricted by the unreliability of the money in circulation and the inability of the home producers to meet the free-trade competition of the foreign producers.

Another characteristic of money, that affects the relations between capital and labor, may be mentioned here, though the proof of its existence is not confined to the past. It is that the value of even good money fluctuates, like other commodities, in obedience to the law of supply and demand. When money is scarce, it becomes dear and all other commodities, including labor, become cheap; and when money is plentiful, it becomes cheap and all other commodities, including labor, become dear. This is the case now, and it is the chief cause of the "high cost of living," and the "superficial tinkers in the past have said that money be made plentiful, so that all might become rich; but what is the use of taking a wagonload of money to market to buy a handful of produce? Safe and sane advisers want no John Law Mississippi Public currency, and already a warning cry has been raised to check the inflation before the people become panicky.

With the change of administration in 1861, the government not only put the monetary system upon a firm basis, but also encouraged the industry by adopting a protective tariff to induce the investment of capital in such industries and thereby furnish employment for labor.

The tariff, as everybody knows, is the duty levied by the government upon articles imported into the United States from other countries. The primary purpose of the tariff is to raise revenues for the government; but in accomplishing that purpose, it also levies a duty on the duties, so as to either make or break the industries of this country.

Commencing with the Morrill tariff bill during the Civil War, all the tariff acts down to the present one have been protective, except the Wilson bill in Cleveland's administration. As a

whole of anything is greater than any of its parts; so the government, which represents all the people, must be greater than any organization, which represents only a part of such people. It is the duty, therefore, of the government, which was organized and clothed with power for that purpose, to so control the activities of the people and their relations to each other as to preserve the peace and protect the rights of every citizen, be he capitalist or laborer. As has already been claimed, such control can only be exercised by the regulation or ownership of all the productive industries of the country by the government. With this understanding, let us consider these two methods of control and the probable effect of each upon the government and the people it represents.

Extreme views of wealth should be avoided; it is neither the highest good, to be hoarded and worshiped, nor the worst evil, to be shunned and dissipated. It is a power for good, when rightly used, or a power for evil, when wrongly used. It is also a mistake to regard all wealth, or even a large part of it, as tainted, or dishonestly acquired, and the owner of it as deserving of reproach. By far the larger part of wealth has been accumulated by industry and frugality. One of the definitions of capital reads, "Capital is the part of wealth which is saved and is available for, or employed in, future production." The individual, therefore, must not only be industrious, but he must be saving, in order to acquire capital; then to gain more wealth he must employ that capital in "future production." Instead of such thrifty enterprise being blame-worthy, as is often charged by demagogues and jealous prelates, it is clearly in line with Christ's teaching in the parable of the talents. In that parable the lord, or capitalist, commended and rewarded the servants that traded in the market and doubled their money; but he condemned and punished the "wicked and slothful servant," who hid his talent in the earth and had no gain to report.

It goes without saying that the thrifty enterprise approved by Christ in the parable of the talents is the honest, straight-forward, square-dealing kind that respects and harmonizes with the principles, virtues and precepts of the Christian religion. The Apostle Paul included "not slothful in business," in a list of virtues that he recommended to the church at Rome, of which list the following is a part: "Be kindly affectioned one to another with brotherly love; in honor preferring one another; not slothful in business, fervent in spirit; serving the Lord." In fact, the whole range of literature is full of anecdotes, examples and proverbs, showing that "industry and frugality lead to wealth" and encouraging the young to form life-long habits of thrift. Besides being absolutely right, this thrifty enterprise is not confined to any particular class, but is open to all. For instance, if a nation is fairly well governed and its citizens are generally industrious and saving, they will all become capitalists, though of different degrees according to the ability and faithfulness of each. Then, too, the nation itself will become safer and stronger with its capital distributed among its citizens as widely as possible, giving each a more direct interest in the stability of the government.

France and Japan are the most notable examples of such a nation. See what France has done since her war with Germany in 1870. She has paid off the \$1,000,000,000 indemnity imposed on her by Germany, has loaned to Russia \$7,000,000,000 and is still able to maintain her part of the present war burdens. From what has already been said, it may be inferred that, in our opinion, the government should neither harass capital, at the instance of factional agitators, nor allow others to do so; but it should encourage the investment of capital in every legitimate enterprise and protect the owners thereof in all their legal rights. Otherwise capital in any locality will seek other fields to the detriment of labor in that locality and also to the injury of the community at large. It is said that millions of dollars of capital have left San Francisco, because of labor troubles which were not adjusted by the government, thereby relegating that city to the second place in the state. On the other hand the government should positively restrict capital from being employed to stifle competition, to create a monopoly, to exact unfair prices and rates, to unjustly depress the wages of labor, to pay exorbitant salaries to the officials, to water the stock of any company, or to do anything incompatible with honest, upright methods of transacting business.

Within recent years the government has regulated capital, after a fashion, in most of the particulars specified in the preceding paragraph; but little or no attention has been paid to the regulation of labor. For instance, the anti-trust law, enacted to prevent combinations in restraint of trade, has been fairly well enforced against capital; but it has seldom been enforced against labor. As a consequence labor organizations have increased their membership to the fullest extent, have formed combinations with one another and have used the influence and power thus aggregated in restraint of trade, by upping traffic and stopping improvements and production at the most critical times and places. Now it is just as much the duty of the government to regulate labor as it is to regulate capital, to see to it, not only that labor receives fair treatment for itself, but also that it accords fair treatment to others.

The need of government regulation for capital and labor having been demonstrated, the next step is to suggest some effective way of removing the cause of the friction between them and of establishing a permanent and practical method of government regulation for all productive industries that employ capital and labor. From the regulation of capital already undertaken by the government, it is apparent that no suggestions are needed on that score, except as to the machinery for carrying out the work. Since the interstate commerce commission and the railroad commission in each state already do a part of the regulating of some of the industries, the whole business might be committed to those bodies, the former acting as the supreme judiciary and the latter as the judiciary for each state. But, however these commissions may be constituted and named, they should be a permanent part of the government and have jurisdiction over all questions arising between capital and labor, including the fixing of salaries and wages, rates and fares, and all prices of products that have become a subject of controversy. Such commissions should collect, systematize and file in their respective offices, complete data on all the subjects over which they have jurisdiction. With a full knowledge of the general subject they should carefully examine each complaint before passing judgment on it, not only keeping in mind the rights of both parties to the dispute, but also protecting the interests of the general public, whose patronage is necessary to make the industry profitable.

For some time past labor has been pressing for a reduction in the length of the day's work without offering to accept a proportionate reduction in the day's wages. As this was clearly a movement to secure an increase in wages by indirection, we suggested, to Charles N. Felton, United States senator from California in 1891, that, to make the hour, instead of the day, the unit for computing wages, would remove the length of the work-day entirely from the controversy over wages. There would then be no dispute over the length of the day and the struggle over wages would come directly on the price per hour. The suggestion was not adopted; but the length of the workday was reduced to eight hours on all government work at that time. Since then, however, organized labor has been pressing on all sides for a shortening of the workday to eight hours on all private work as well, without any reduction in the day's wages. During the last presidential campaign, 400,000 trainmen, taking advantage of the president's anxiety for re-election, demanded an eight-hour day with ten hours' pay and fifty per cent increase of such pay for all overtime, backed by a threat to strike, if the demand was not complied with. In answer the president forced a bill through congress granting what was asked, except as to the overtime pay, and promised to recommend an increase in rates and fares to recoup the railroad for the twenty-five per cent increase in wages they would have to pay. All this was done without any investigation by anyone to see whether the demand of the trainmen was just or not, and, if just, whether it would be fair or not for the railroads to pass the increased burden over to the general public for it to bear.

It is evident from the foregoing discussion that both capital and labor need the strong restraining hand of government to prevent them from taking advantage of each other and from imposing unjust burdens on the general public. This restraint should be exercised through commissions (previously explained) which will adjudicate disputes and enforce laws within their jurisdiction just as the regular courts do in their proper fields. Of course, the necessary laws, creating these commissions, defining their jurisdiction, and outlining their duties, must be passed by congress; but such legislation should recognize and protect the rights of every person to manage his own individual affairs according to his own judgment without dictation from any other person or persons. That is, the law should plainly and positively protect the right of every citizen to accept employment wherever he can find it, regardless of whether he is a member of a labor organization or not; a right or principle so fundamental and vital to the success and happiness of a free people as that should not be left to be determined or set aside by the personal views of any crowd. Such a law rigidly enforced would do away with all strikes, boycotts, picketing, and other acts of violence in restraint of trade.

The different questions arising over the relations between capital and labor have been variously decided in the lower courts, both federal and state, in times past, but on December 10, 1917, the United States supreme court handed down a majority decision, in the cases of the Hitchman Coal & Coke company and the Esch, Columbia & Western Railway company of Virginia, practically in harmony with the claims and contentions of this article. While the court reaffirmed the right of workmen to organize for lawful purposes, it held that employers legally may operate their plants as "open shops" and prevent conspiracies to bring their non-union employees into labor organizations. The content of court cases, appealed from the lower courts, have been continued for sixty days to give the attorneys opportunity to prepare their defense. It is possible that contempt cases may be developed later from this supreme court decision, judging from remarks by Samuel Gompers to the effect that the labor organizations will continue to solicit members from the non-union workmen, notwithstanding the supreme court decision.

It has been urged that, if the government must regulate the industries, it might as well own them and thereby avoid establishing more commissions. But the government would need the same commissions to do the same work, whether it owned the industries or not; it would also require more employees under public than under private ownership to carry on the work. Private ownership seems to be the general order of nature; each tree or plant is assigned the portion of the earth's surface needed by it; each class of wild animals has the natural habitat which is best adapted to its wants. From the beginning of the human race in the Garden of Eden down to the present time the history of mankind has been an almost unbroken record of private ownership of land and other property. The exceptions to this rule are the nomadic tribes, Indians and other uncivilized peoples who lived when and where the land was sparsely settled and was, therefore, not much in demand. A comparison of the slow development of such people with that of those who have private ownership is greatly in favor of the latter. When the personal property, the flocks and herds, of Abraham and Lot increased, they separated and divided the land between themselves, thereby extending their private ownership to the reality as well as to the personal property. After the children of Israel had conquered the original owners and taken possession of the promised land, they divided it, with all its cities and other improvements, among the twelve tribes of Israel. That the tribal allot-

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Coffee will be served free all day Friday, March 29. Everybody invited. Don't forget the date and location, 224 East Third street, Santa Ana, Cal., where the roasting machine is located.

FREE!

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Did you know that half the cost of coffee is expense and profit? Did you ever stop to think how much a tin can costs; then the retailer's profit, the green coffee men, then solicitors, deliveries, and worst of all—PREMIUMS?

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Guaranteed to please as well as any 30c, 35c or 40c, or money back.

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Reason a little and see how easy it is to save a lot of money.

It is the biggest saving on any staple item possible. You would be ashamed of paying 35c or 40c for a pound of coffee if you knew the cost. The Pacific Coffee Stores are their own jobbers, and sell to no one but their own stores. Only two blends of coffee—Always the best.

The head of this concern has been a coffee tester for 20 years. WE CATER ONLY TO CONSUMERS. A million people buy this coffee. Two New York papers devote a page each to this idea and to this firm. Be fair to yourself and try this.

Best Coffee 25c
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224 East Third St. RELIABLE COFFEE MERCHANTS Santa Ana, Cal.

ments were subdivided among the individuals, may be inferred from the practice which King David afterward formulated into the following statute: "As his part is that goeth down to the battle, so shall his part be that tarrieth by the stuff; they shall part alike." Since this apportionment was made while and himself was directing the affairs of his chosen people, it may fairly be concluded that private or individual ownership is the divine plan for distributing capital among the citizens of a nation.

Picking out a few industries—"public utilities" they are called—for public ownership will not obviate the necessity for government regulation for the others, since every merchantable article is a public utility and will demand equal recognition. What an epidemic of strikes followed the trainmen's successful hold-up of the government during the presidential campaign! No, it must be either government regulation or public ownership for all industries.

Public ownership would crush out private enterprise in any direction, since the government, with its large contracts, could get its materials

cheaper, and, with its power of taxation, could make up any deficit that might occur. Hence there would be nothing left for the people to do, but work for the government under taskmasters, like the Israelites did in Egypt, where they had public ownership.

Under public ownership, one of two unfortunate conditions is bound to develop; either all the employees in all the industries will be changed whenever the government administration is changed, thereby losing the benefit of experienced workmen, since "to the victors belong the spoils," or, what is more probable, all the employees in the industries will join the army in power and retain the administration indefinitely, no matter how corrupt, for the sake of holding their jobs. The fact that all the employees in all the industries would be employees of the government and not of thousands of different organizations, would of itself be a strong bond of union between them. If 400,000 trainmen under present conditions could win their demands by threatening to strike, what show would a weak administration have of holding out

against millions of employees thus bound together, whenever they would make unwarranted demands?

This brief discussion shows that a representative government should allow the greatest latitude to its citizens to carry on all kinds of legitimate business, subject to the fundamental maxim, "so use your own property as not to injure the rights of another," and that it should not only protect such rights from infringement by others, but should itself refrain from entering into private business or owning property except for government use.

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Hair Stops Falling Out and Gets Thick, Wavy, Strong and Beautiful

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Danderine hair cleanse." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it surely get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, for a few cents.—Adv.

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A visit to our store will help you in deciding the question of what is correct.

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With the first spring days comes the desire for new spring attire. Nearly every man and boy wants a stylish spring suit, and now is a good time to select them, while our line is most complete.

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At Sam Stein's of Course

MERCHANTS VOTE TO FOLLOW THE CLOCK UNDER NEW TIME

Unanimous Approval Given New Time Plan at Their Luncheon Today

On Monday next business life of Santa Ana will start at the time by the clock that it does now. By sun time, however, it will be one hour earlier.

A majority of the business men of the city have in a general way expressed themselves as in favor of holding to the present clock hours, and at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon at James' today it was voted unanimously to follow the clock. The stores will open and close at the same hours observed in the past. The motion was offered by H. Leipsie and seconded by D. N. Kelly and was put to the assembly by Secretary J. C. Metzgar. The luncheon chairman failed to attend and the duty of presiding fell to Metzgar.

There was no address, the usual time being given over to an address being devoted to a discussion of the new hours effective Sunday morning at 2 o'clock.

"I think the business men of the city should state definitely in their advertising the hours they propose observing and that those hours should be by the clock under the advanced time," said Herbert Rankin, of the Rankin Dry Goods company. "The hours should be thoroughly advertised between now and the end of the week."

"It probably will be difficult for the business men to adjust themselves to the new hour, but in time trade will drop into the plan and we will all be better off. Customers will have to learn that they must do their purchasing an hour earlier than usual. Business rush hours are between 4 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon and customers will have to get accustomed to buying between 3 and 4 o'clock present time."

"I think the advanced hour is an excellent plan. It will give the proprietors and clerks more time for recreation—more time in which to develop their gardens, if they feel so inclined. As for myself, I expect to give the extra hour to garden work."

"We will have more daylight, and we should be a little more productive this summer than we were last."

A Good Suggestion
In response to the suggestion that anyone having an idea of any kind to advance for the interest of the city, present it for discussion, County Auditor W. C. Jerome made a suggestion that was well received. The patriotic exercises to be held here on the 6th of April and the plan to have the stores close from 2 to 4 in the afternoon had been mentioned by Metzgar. Jerome suggested that the business men take ten minutes of the two-hour suspension of business in which to decide the amount of Liberty Bonds they would subscribe for, jot the amount down and deposit a slip at some central point.

"It is not a fair proposition to ask one of a dozen men who have to do the soliciting to call upon the business men every time a canvass has to be made," said Jerome. "Some plan can be arranged where they might of their own accord indicate the extent of their participation in the financing plans and save the solicitors the time and work of making personal calls. Anyhow, they should be in a position to say right off the bat what they will do when a solicitor calls. This would save the solicitors and the solicited a great deal of time."

W. S. S. — CERTIFICATE ISSUES AND LOANS INCREASED

WASHINGTON, March 27.—In taking up new war financing legislation recommended by Secretary McAdoo the House Ways and Means committee yesterday tentatively agreed to authorize the issue of \$8,000,000,000 in treasury certificates of indebtedness, twice the amount now authorized, and to provide for loans of \$1,500,000,000 to the Allies in addition to the \$2,000,000,000 authorized, but yet to be allotted. The committee expects to complete the bill Thursday.

The provision authorizing the issue of \$4,500,000,000 in Liberty Bonds, in addition to the \$3,000,000,000 already authorized, but unissued, was not taken up.

—W. S. S.—

BIG BALL COMBINE BELIEVED DOOMED TO SUCCUMB

Dilatory Methods of Club Owners Blamed For the Critical Situation

BY H. C. HAMILTON
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, March 27.—The wake of the International League may be in progress here today.

On the other hand, it is quite possible that Jack Dunn of Baltimore, and others, who are reluctant to see the old circuit ditched, may have something in their pistol pockets that will save the face of the league which has suffered more than any similar league in history.

Dilatory methods of club owners of the circuit, snatched from the fire so many times when Ed G. Barrow was its president, are blamed mainly for the probability that the league will succumb. The national commission is looking with critical eyes at the tactics of these magnates who not only are making it hard for the commission to protect them, but are holding ball players off the market.

The commission, along with other baseball men, believes the circuit has gone to smash, as evidenced by the sale of Larry Lajoie and others by the pennant winning Toronto club. Toronto was by far the best money maker in the league a year ago. If it is getting out from under, it is contended the other clubs must quit.

The New York State League and the Eastern League are looking hungrily on as the process continues. The Eastern yawns to receive Providence, the New York State has cast covetous glances at Buffalo, Rochester and Toronto.

ORANGE MAN WILL BE NEW SAVINGS BANK TRUST OFFICER

U. D. Rhodes, Secretary B. & L., Appointed to Position in Local Bank

U. D. Rhodes, secretary of the Orange Building & Loan Association for seven years past, has been appointed trust officer at the Orange County Trust & Savings Bank. He will take up the duties of his new position on the first of May.

Rhodes is an experienced banker and understands fully the duties of the important position he will fill at the local bank. Before coming to Orange he was bookkeeper in the state auditor's office at Jefferson City, Mo., for four years, and prior to that time was engaged in the banking business in Missouri. He is thoroughly familiar with the banking business.

During the seven years he has been secretary of the Building & Loan Association at Orange, the assets of that institution have been increased from \$200,000 to \$600,000.

He is well known in the county and has a splendid knowledge of land values in this vicinity. His acquaintance in the county and knowledge of local conditions will be of value to the bank.

He will move his family to Orange and will become identified with the social and business circles of the city. He and his family are members of the Christian church.

Rhodes handed his resignation to the board of directors this morning. His successor will be named by the board within the next few days. It is understood that there will be a number of applications for the position.

Rhodes takes the position recently vacated by A. J. Olsen.

—W. S. S.—

STATE FAIR OFFERS HEAVY PURSES FOR THIS YEAR'S RACES

Governor's Stake Fixed at \$2,000, Three Purses of \$1500, Six of \$1000

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—Twenty-two thousand dollars in purses for the races at the Sacramento State Fair will be offered this year, the fair directors announced today. They will include the governor's stake of \$2,000, three \$1500 purses and six for \$1000 cash.

CHICAGO CUBS BEAT VERNON TIGERS

PASADENA, March 27.—After handing a 10 to 5 drubbing to the Vernon Tigers, Chicago's own Cubs are due in Oakland today for games there as at San Francisco.

CAPELLI MEETS MORE THAN HIS MATCH

LOS ANGELES, March 27.—Young Fritz pounded Billy Capelli into ribbons here at Vernon A. C. last night in four rounds of atrocious fighting.

—W. S. S.—

CAR SHORTAGE GRAVE MENACE TO COAST LUMBER INDUSTRY

SEATTLE, Wash., March 27.—Car shortage is a serious menace to the entire lumber industry of the Pacific Coast. This is the view of northwest lumber men who will attend the monthly meeting of the West Coast Lumbermen's Association in Portland Friday, when the problem will be considered. Not more than a quarter of the necessary cars are delivered, it is said. A million feet of lumber per day is piling up on the docks and in the yards of West Coast Association mills.

Big line of Easter novelties which we are closing out at attractive prices. The Dragon.

NOON HOUR PAUSE TO PRAY FOR SUCCESS OF ALLIES

Protestant Episcopal Church Urges Daily Public Prayers in U. S.

Clergymen of the Church of England in the British Isles and of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States have specially urged daily public prayers on behalf of the allied forces in their great struggle on the war front. This suggestion is being followed by other Protestant sects as well. Dr. Charles Edward Locke of Los Angeles has issued a call for every praying person of that city to pray for victory for the allies at noon daily until the present great battle is over. Other clergymen are expected to follow suit.

There has been no concerted action among the churches of this city in offering prayers for the success of the allied arms, and as yet none of the pastors have called upon members of their congregations for daily prayers. However, it has been the custom at weekly prayer meetings to utter such prayers.

—W. S. S.—

MOST OF THEM ARE HELD FOR FULL SERVICE

Several Men Who Were Up Before Appeal Board Pass Physical Tests

Out of sixteen men examined by the physicians of Exemption Board No. 1 this morning, twelve were found physically fit for full military service. Among these twelve are several men whose appeals were turned down by the appeal board.

The results of the physical tests follow:

Held for full military service—Mm. S. Leinberger, 419 E. Fourth; Irving B. Meyer, R. D. 4; Clarence B. Skiles, 902 Orange; Henry J. Lockett, Orange; Louis K. Brandt, San Pedro; Henry J. Maag, Anaheim R. D. 3; Albert F. Rohrs, 1125 East Santa Clara; Raymond R. Ross, 1329 North Baker; Leonard P. Halderman, 414 North Maybury; Jefferson F. Webb, examined for Snyder, Tex.; Herbert J. Clayton, examined for Los Angeles; Forrest C. Cadwalder, examined for La Junta, Colo.

Disqualified—Robert Lemke, Olive; Harvey Rios, Anaheim.

Referred to Medical Advisory Board—Harry R. Peterson, Laguna Beach; Leon Johnson, examined for Riverside.

Grover C. Honea, R. D. 4, failed to appear for examination.

NO. 2 MEN READY TO LEAVE FRIDAY, 8 P. M.

FULLERTON, March 27.—As far as the local exemption board is concerned everything is ready for the departure of the fifteen men from this district on the evening of Friday, March 29. The men are to be entrained for Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash.

Beside the fifteen men drawn to go, three alternates were originally announced to be ready to leave in event that any of the regularly drawn men should fail to put in an appearance. Yesterday the exemption board added three more alternates to the list.

For this quota from Southern California a special train will leave Los Angeles at 8 o'clock Friday evening over the Santa Fe, arriving at Fullerton soon after 8:30, when the fifteen men from this district will board it.

The men will breakfast at Bakersfield on the morning of the 30th at about 7 o'clock; luncheon will be served at Merced about 12:30, and they will arrive at Stockton about 3:45, where the Southern Pacific will pick them up and shoot them on to Portland. From Portland they will go to American Lake over the Great Northern.

The fifteen men and the six alternates are as follows:

Ernest L. Chandler, Placentia.
Roland Thompson, Placentia.
Peter N. Tryk, Fullerton.
Morris W. Martinet, Jr., Anaheim.
Frank A. Wilke, Anaheim.
Walter N. Hambleton, Brea.
John S. King, Anaheim.
Jesus Rodriguez, Newberry Park.
Lyford M. Patterson, Seal Beach.
Wm. F. Kennedy, Anaheim.
Theo. H. DeWitt, Yorba Linda.
Otto J. Kutzner, Santa Ana.
William Glese, Lodi.
Myers Sala, Fullerton.
Orval P. Heaton, Anaheim.
Alternates:
Louis Lee, Fullerton.
Frank A. Collett, Los Alamitos.
Robert P. Graham, Huntington Beach.
Ray Brooks, Brea.
Alonzo Murillo, Fullerton.

—W. S. S.—

EASTER SPECIALS

This week we are giving reduced prices on all trimmed hats. Some splendid styles with good materials—this week only for \$5.00. Street sailors, \$3.75 each. Mrs. F. B. Wilhelm, 509 North Main, next to Crown Stage office.

—W. S. S.—

McPherson & Melton at Orange want all your eggs.

REINHAUS

DEPARTMENT STORE SANTA ANA

Ladies' Clothes for Easter and Other Easter Merchandise

Ladies' new Spring Coats in splendid assortment of different styles, materials and colors at prices you can afford. \$10.00 to \$20.00

Ladies' New Silk Costumes in taffeta, crepe de chine or poplin, every stylish model and color represented, prices. \$10.00 to \$20.00

Ladies' New White Easter Gowns of Organdy or Voile, handsomely made and beautifully ornamented, at \$7.50 to \$10.00

Ladies' Colored Tub Dresses in fine sheer materials or fine zephyr gingham in large variety of designs at \$6.00 to \$8.00

New White Easter Dresses for misses, juniors or children; also good assortment of plaid gingham dresses at Popular Prices

Complete line of Ladies' New White Tub Skirts, the latest styles in gabardine, pique and other materials, at \$1.50 to \$5.00

Ladies' New Silk Shirt Waists in white or fancy tub silks, crepe de chine or georgette crepe \$2.50 to \$5.00

New Stylish Neckwear for ladies, just in from New York.

Ladies' Silk Gloves in white, black, gray or brown 75c to \$1.25

Ladies' Kid Gloves in white or black, French imported goods, \$2.50 values at \$2.00

Ladies' New Silk Hose in all colors 75c to \$1.50

Complete lines of Silks, worsted Dress Goods and Tub Materials.

SHOES: New Easter Footwear

Ladies' New White Pumps, Oxfords or high top shoes in fabric or leather.

Misses' and Children's White Pumps and Mary Janes, also in black gun metal kid or patent leather.

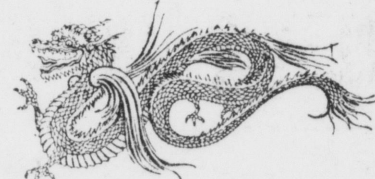
Complete stock of girls' and boys' school shoes, good durable shoes at very reasonable prices.

Designers for April

STANDARD PATTERNS

Patterns for April

GOOD THINGS TO
Eat Daily
AT THE DRAGON.



TRY OUR NOONDAY
Quick Lunch
BEST OF SERVICE.

Always Something Tasty to Tempt Sluggish Appetites

We specialize on good home cooking, quick service and moderate charges. Luncheon hours, 11:30 a. m. to 2:00 p. m.

Soup, Meats, Entrees, Salads, Vegetables, Sandwiches, Hot and Cold Drinks, and Dragon's Unexcelled Pastries.

BREAKFAST MENU

Hot Cakes, Waffles, Coffee Cakes, Fruits and best of Coffee.

EASTER NOVELTIES

Big line of everything in Easter novelties which we are closing out at attractive prices.

REV. SPAULDING IS Y DIRECTOR AROUND BAY

Important Post Is Given Son of Local Real Estate Man

Rev. C. A. Spaulding, son of E. A. Spaulding of Harper, real estate man, with offices in the Spurgeon building, has been appointed as religious director for the Y. M. C. A. in all of the army camps, forts and naval stations around San Francisco Bay.

Rev. Spaulding resigned his pastorate at Pasadena last September in order to enter into the Y. M. C. A. work. Since he entered college he has always been in close touch with Y. M. C. A. work, even when not engaged in it, and in that work he has always been successful.

Most of his time since September has been devoted to the Y. M. C. A. work at the aviation school at Berkeley. On April 1 he will enter into a larger field. He will be director of religious work, with sub-directors under him, for Camp Fremont, the Presidio, Mare Island, Angel Island, Goat Island, Ft. Barry, Ft. Baker and Ft. Winfield Scott. There are between thirty and fifty Y. M. C. A. stations in those camps and stations.

Rev. Spaulding has a brother who is a member of the Royal Flying Corps. This brother is probably with the British in the battle still raging.

Only 3 More Days

of our Big Green Tag White Sale and now folks listen!

If you want to save money on Sheetting, Tubing, Linens, Towels, Muslin, Laces, Embroideries, White Quilts, in fact on everything in White Goods, you would better come this week for you will pay more later.

Our Extra Special for tomorrow (Thursday) will be One lot White Sateen Petticoats, at 79c One lot White Sateen Petticoats, at \$1.19

At these prices you could not begin to buy the material. Special attention called to the fact that

Every White Shoe is Cut in Price.

Taylor's Cash Store

Opera House Block Santa Ana.

JUST IN

A fine line of CUT GLASS BUD VASES, FLOWER BASKETS, Etc.

Come in and make your selection and have them sent out with your Grocery order. Everything in first class GROCERIES, CHINA and SILVERWARE.

D. L. Anderson Company

Prompt and Free Delivery. 205 East Fourth St. Phones 12.

Exceptionally Fine Showing

Dainty Voiles at 35c

Thousands of yards, widths 38 and 40 inches. Lovers of pretty tub fabrics will more than appreciate this lavish assortment of fine, sheer voiles at 35c. Delightful color combinations in figures, stripes, plaids and dots. Plain colors in rose, pink, light blue, navy, pongee, white, and black Copenhagen. All new this season's wash goods. See window display. Come in and let us show you.



Easter Neckwear

Fashion's Newest Styles! Creations! You'll marvel at so much beauty and style and chic could be fashioned into neckwear.

Organdies, Georgette, Lace Nets, Satins, Pique, Carded Silk, Vestees, Tuxedos, Military Collars, Chic Sets.

Touched in a score of pretty ways with laces and embroidery. Prices range from 25c to \$2.50 each.

Gilbert's INC

110 W. FOURTH ST. SANTA ANA, CALIF.

"Centemerie"

Kid Gloves White and Black Embroidery Stitche, \$2.00 and \$2.50 pair.

SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA, WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 27, 1918.

INJUNCTION DELAYS LOS ANGELES LIQUOR BAN

Gandier Ordinance Will Not
Go Into Effect Till After
Hearing Next Week

LOS ANGELES, March 27.—The Gandier ordinance, which would close the saloons of Los Angeles, will not go into effect on April 1.

Presiding Judge Charles Wellborn of the Superior Court agreed late yesterday, after the filing of an injunction suit by opponents of the measure, to sign today the temporary restraining order prayed for.

This morning the order was granted and the hearing fixed for April 5th.

"If the city is ready and prepared to show cause why a further restraining order should not be issued, it might be possible for the matter to be decided by April 1," said Judge Wellborn, "but owing to the voluminous nature of the complaint, I do not believe it humanly possible."

JUDGE SEES NO HARM IN DELAY

"It surely can harm no one if this temporary restraining order causes the saloons to remain open a few days after April 1. After the arguments have been made, in all justice to the judge, he should have at least two or three days to decide whether a second restraining order should be granted which would hold things as they are until the case has been tried on its merits."

The order of Judge Wellborn was made an ex parte hearing by him of a voluminous complaint, filed at noon in behalf of the Alexandria Hotel Company and nearly 200 other plaintiffs, principally hotels, cafes and wholesale and retail liquor stores. The defendants named in the action are the City of Los Angeles, P. T. Woodman, as Mayor and ex-officio chairman of the Police Commission; the Police Commission and the members, Parley M. Johnson and Frank B. Owen, Chief of Police John L. Butler and City Prosecutor Erwin W. Widney. The complaint covers 427 pages of legal cap and would be much larger had not printed ordinances been pasted on it instead of typing them.

WETS EXPLAIN DELAY

The complaint was filed by the law firm of Loewenthal, Loeb & Walker, Max Loewenthal, the senior member of the firm, and Joseph Loeb presenting to the court brief arguments to substantiate the claims of the plaintiffs for the restraining order and "such other relief as to the court may seem proper." Asked why their complaint had not been filed sooner, the attorneys directed attention to paragraph 169 of the document. This, in part, states that "in view of the great number of persons interested, the amount of evidence and the number and complexity of the points of law

Santa Ana Boy on Destroyer Sees Submarine Fire Torpedo That Struck the Tuscania

Edgar Tedford, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eedford of Santa Ana, saw the Tuscania torpedoed.

He saw the submarine that fired the shot, and he believes that the United States destroyer upon the deck of which he stood got the submarine.

Jack Tedford, elder brother of Edgar, is also believed to be aboard a destroyer in British waters. That is surmised from a letter written by Jack before he left the Atlantic coast.

The letter written by Edgar Tedford on February 7 came from Scotland. It reads in part as follows:

We arrived here safe and sound. We are in Camlash, Scotland, waiting for another convoy to go with to the North Sea—somewhere.

Well, we have indeed seen sights already.

Our trip took us ten days to arrive. Tuesday night, February 5, at 4:15 we sighted land, the land of bonny Scotland. We entered the North Channel and came up to Northern Ireland.

There were eleven ships in our convoy, including four troop ships. At 6:45 the Tuscania, a British troop ship with American troops and nurses from New York, was fifty yards off our port bow when she was torpedoed and started to sink very fast.

We swung out to our starboard so as not to ram her and she let

her lights and sent up rockets that she was sinking fast.

We had to put on full speed and leave her there or we, too, would have got ours. We let our guns go at the sub but were not sure we got her.

The Tuscania sunk in 61 minutes, but almost all were rescued. The Heinies were fooled for they expected to get many more lives than they did.

It seemed as if we could reach out and touch them, we were so close. We saw her get hit for I was on watch on the bridge at the time and looking right at her. I saw a dark looking spot on the water just ahead and at first thought it was oil on the water.

Then I saw her let go and get the ship in the starboard side. The Tuscania listed over and started to sink.

It was a grand sight the way those soldiers and women nurses came off. With those troops there was not a bit of confusion or rush. They were a brave lot, mother.

That was my first big experience and I loved the excitement but I felt so bad for the bunks that went down.

At 8:40 we were attacked again by the subs. We fought them off with our four-inch guns.

I thought maybe I would hate this work but after my first two sub fights I know it's all right and I only want the chance to get at them again.

You know now I am on a U. S. destroyer and am to patrol the British coast.

Mayor Woodman was elected at the primaries last year.

3. That the statements on the ballots of Proposition No. 1 (the Gandier ordinance) and Proposition No. 4 were so much alike in wording and substance that the voters were confused and deceived and that the passage of Proposition No. 1 at the election was not a true registration of the public will. In support of this the complaint recites that, while these two propositions are practically the same in wording and meaning, No. 1 was carried by 54,447 against 34,277 and No. 4 was defeated by 10,704 against 69,953.

4. That the charter is the basic law of the city and ordinances not in harmony with its provisions are not valid, whether ordained by the City Council or the people. The Gandier ordinance revokes liquor licenses prior to the termination of the end of the license year, June 30, although the sole right to revoke such licenses is by the charter vested in the Police Commission and that body may revoke a license only if the holder thereof conducts his place in a disorderly manner.

COMPLAINANTS SATISFIED

Max Loewenthal, senior member of the law firm which filed the complaint, declared that Judge Wellborn's action was "eminently satisfactory" to his clients. He said:

"The restraining order is all that the court could have given us; and I believe we shall be able to convince the court that the injunction should be made permanent."

"The complaint has no relation to the action recently filed by Peter T. Ludwick which is now pending before Judge Grant Jackson. Presently, the firm which I represent has no connection."

We are ready to proceed with the case at once, but of course we can make no prediction as to how much time will be occupied in bringing it to a conclusion."

W. S. S.

1245 REGISTERED FOR
FULLERTON ELECTION

FULLERTON, March 27.—When the city voting precincts, consolidating certain county precincts the number of electors in the city was not known, neither was it known how the electors were distributed about town.

However, had City Attorney Allen, City Clerk Hezmalhalch, or City Engineer Renshaw, who had the consolidation of the precincts in hand, known just how many electors there were and where each and every one was located, they could hardly have made a more equal apportionment than they happened to strike upon.

Municipal consolidated precinct No. 1 includes county precincts Nos. 1, 2 and 7, and contains 428 electors.

Municipal consolidated precinct No. 2 is composed of county precincts Nos. 3 and 4, and comes up with 412 electors.

Municipal consolidated precinct No. 3 takes in county precincts 5 and 6 and boasts of 405 electors.

W. S. S.

PRAYER MEETINGS

Schedule of Meetings For
Thursday and Friday
of This Week

Thursday, March 28, at 9:30 a. m., prayer meetings will be held in the homes of the following:

Mrs. White, 838 Van Ness avenue.
Mrs. Fisher, 2020 North Broadway.
Mrs. Fanny Lash, 220 Cypress.
Mrs. C. Henning, 112 Garfield, at 1:30 p. m.

Friday, March 29, at 9:30 a. m.—Mrs. Davis, 316 Sixth street.
Mrs. Scott Torrens, 721 South Syracuse.

BENEFIT FOR RED CROSS WILL BE STAGED ON APRIL 22

Dealers of City to Co-operate
In Big Automobile
Show

Monday, April 22, has been decided upon as auto show night in Santa Ana. Last night the city council granted permission to the managers of the show to rope off the block on Spurgeon street, between Fourth and Third, where canvases will be stretched and booths erected. The auto dealers promise a big show and a big contribution to the local Red Cross fund, the entire proceeds going to the mercy organization.

Clune's and the West End theaters have also been leased for the day. The Elks' band will provide the music. Tickets will cost 50 cents and will include admission to both theaters and to the auto show. Clune's will show vaudeville, and the West End pictures. Other entertainment features, such as a dance for the young folk, are being arranged for and will be announced later. The entire admission price goes to the Red Cross, the auto dealers paying all expenses incidental to the entertainment.

O. A. Haley is president; E. H. Layton, secretary and treasurer. George Kellogg, Fred Medberry, C. L. Davis and W. R. Gordon are on the publicity committee. The following auto and accessory dealers are backing the show financially:

J. T. Van Why, Ideal Tire and Rubber Company, Kellogg & Menier, A. T. Smith, C. L. Davis, W. R. Gordon, O. A. Haley, Santa Ana Motor Company, Layton Bros., Orange County Garage Company, Christoph & Stout, Wm. F. Lutz Company, Cadillac Garage Company, Orange County Ignition Works, B. & B. Ignition Works, Dale & Co., Evans & Co., A. J. Swoffer, Modern Vulcanizing Works, W. A. Willey, Chas. Bevis, C. G. Illingworth, Rochni-Sylvester Company, Gowdy's Vulcanizing Works, Pierce & Brady, Livezey Company, Robert Gerwing, F. L. Austin and the Auto Club of Southern California.

W. S. S.

EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE TO BE IMPRESSIVE

Red Hill Is Ideal For the Af-
fair Planned By the
Christian Endeavor

Arrangements for Santa Ana's Easter morning sunrise service which is to be held at Red Hill next Sunday morning are rapidly being completed. Prompt indications are that the gathering will prove a great success.

It is declared by those having charge of the preparations that the location on Red Hill is ideal for such a gathering. The rough, rugged hill affords a place for an outdoor gathering that is perfect for a sunrise service.

Stirring music is being planned. An orchestra will lead in the singing, and well-known hymns and Easter songs will be sung.

The service Sunday morning will start off according to the new time. With the clock set ahead one hour, the service will start promptly at 7:30, thus allowing ample time for all who attend to return to Santa Ana to Sunday school or church services. A special invitation has been sent to the young people and all those interested in Orange, El Modena and Tustin, to join with the Santa Anans in this early morning service.

W. S. S.

ORANGE SHIPMENT
VALUED AT \$12,500

ANAHEIM, March 27.—Secretary Sandilands of the Anaheim Citrus Fruit Association shipped five carloads of Mediterranean sweets yesterday. The shipment represents the phenomenal sum of \$12,500. The season on this variety has just opened and from indications there will be a very heavy run of this fruit.

Stop Itching Eczema

Never mind how often you have tried and failed, you can stop burning, itching eczema quickly by applying a little zemo furnished by any druggist for 35c. Extra large bottle, \$1.00. Healing begins the moment zemo is applied. In a short time usually every trace of eczema, tetter, pimples, rash, blackheads and similar skin diseases will be removed.

For clearing the skin and making it vigorously healthy, always use zemo, the penetrating, antiseptic liquid. It is not a greasy salve and it does not stain. When others fail it is the one dependable treatment for skin troubles of all kinds.

The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

1,716,000,000 Pounds of Flour Saved

if each of our 22,000,000 families use this recipe instead of white bread.

One loaf saves 11,000,000 pounds; three loaves a week for a year means 1,716,000,000 pounds saved!

Enough to Feed the Entire Allied Army

Corn Bread with Rye Flour

1 cup corn meal	1 teaspoon salt
1 cup rye flour	1 cup milk
2 tablespoons sugar	1 egg
5 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder	2 tablespoons shortening

Barley flour or oat flour may be used instead of rye flour with equally good results. Sift dry ingredients into bowl; add milk, beaten egg and melted shortening. Stir well. Put into greased pan, allow to stand in warm place 20 to 25 minutes and bake in moderate oven 40 to 45 minutes.

Our new Red, White and Blue booklet, "Best War Time Recipes," containing many other recipes for making delicious and wholesome wheat saving foods, mailed free—address

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., Dept. H, 135 William St., New York

FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR

You'll Have to Buy Quickly Sale Ends Saturday

Only three days remain to you. You will have to take advantage of our 20% discount sale by Saturday or lose out. Our removal sale ends this week.

Here Are the Price Reductions

PURSES

\$7.00 LADIES' PURSES, latest style, very fine, soft leather, removal sale price	\$5.60
\$3.00 LADIES' PURSE, very serviceable	\$2.40
MANY OTHERS, as low as	\$1.00

TRUNKS

\$40.00 WARDROBE TRUNKS, full sized	\$32.00
\$35.00 WARDROBE TRUNKS, removal sale	\$27.50

Similar discounts on Trunks and Leather Goods.

Brydon Bros.

Trunks, Harness, Saddlery Goods, Robes and Leather Goods of all kinds.

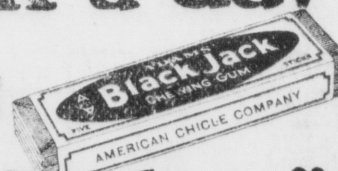
222 West Fourth St.

After April 1st—305 West Fourth St.

ADAMS

Pure Chewing Gum

a Stick a day
keeps
"Bad Habits"
away



BLACK JACK

SOLDIER FROM TUSTIN AND AN OLD FRIEND IN 364TH AT CAMP LEWIS

Floyd Turner, of Tustin, and "Charlie," an old Kansas friend, have met on the grounds of the training camp at Camp Lewis, after a separation of eight years. "Charlie" is a faithful horse that Turner owned when he was a resident of Wichita, Kan. He was Turner's pet driving horse. Turner sold him about eight years ago to a man buying stock for the government.

When Turner went to Camp Lewis in one of the draft contingents from Orange County District No. 1, he was assigned to Regiment 364. By a strange coincidence, old "Charlie" also found his way into the same regiment.

"Charlie" was on duty one day and happened to pass by Turner. Turner recognized him at once, and to make sure that he was his old buggy horse, had the records looked up and found that the animal had been sold by him. And the faithful horse had not forgotten Turner, either, for the minute he heard Turner's voice he indicated recognition of his former master. "Charlie" is now about past his days of usefulness and will soon be placed on the retired list.

W. S. S.

Until the war is done, it is your duty to respond to the call for government loans upon every occasion.

W. S. S.

McPherson & Melton at Orange want all your eggs.

A Story of Generations

Thirty years—and a generation flits by! There are great grandmothers in California who put their faith in Sperry Quality 66 years ago.

Today—Sperry Quality is the accumulation of 66 years of "knowing how." It enables us to produce the Flour and Cereals that give complete satisfaction in every home.

SPERRY FLOUR CO.
CALIFORNIA



NOTICE

In the Superior Court of the County of Orange, State of California. In the matter of the application for voluntary dissolution of Top Knot Oil Company, (a corporation).

Pursuant to an order of the above entitled court given, made, and entered this 28th day of February, 1918, Notice is hereby given: That on the 28th day of February, 1918, an application verified in the same manner as a complaint in a civil action and signed by a majority of the Board of Directors of Top Knot Oil Company, a corporation, praying for the voluntary dissolution of said corporation was filed in the office of the clerk of the county of Orange, State of California.

It is set forth in said application that at a meeting of the stockholders of said corporation called for that purpose the dissolution of the corporation was resolved upon, by a vote of the holders of two-thirds of the subscribed capital stock thereof.

That all claims and demands against the corporation have been satisfied and discharged. That the time for publication of this notice will expire on Thursday, the 4th day of April, 1918, and within that time any person may file his objections to the application. If no objections are filed the court will proceed to hear and determine the application. If objections are filed the court will proceed to hear and determine the application. If objections are filed the court will proceed to hear and determine the application.

Dated this 28th day of February, 1918.

N. T. EDWARDS,
Clerk of the County of Orange and ex-officio Clerk of the Superior Court.

No. 8488, Dept. 1.
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
In the Superior Court of the County of Orange, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of Archibald Duncan, Jr., deceased.

W. B. Duncan, administrator of the estate of Archibald Duncan, Jr., deceased, having this day presented to the court his verified petition in the form of law praying for an order of the Court for the sale of the real property belonging to the above deceased.

It is ordered that the petition be filed, and it appearing therefrom to the Court that it is necessary to sell all of the real property of said estate for the purpose of paying charges, costs of administration, accrued and to hereafter accrue; and

It is also further appearing from said petition that it is and will be for the advantage, benefit and best interest of the estate and those interested therein to sell the whole of the real estate.

It is therefore hereby ordered by the court that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the Court in the County of Orange, State of California, on the 29th day of March, 1918, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why an order should not be granted to said administrator to sell the whole of the real estate of said deceased, at either private or public sale, as said administrator shall judge to be most beneficial to the estate; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in The Evening Blade, a daily newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the County of Orange, California.

The following is a list of the real property heretofore referred to and which is sought to be sold under said petition:

Located in the County of Orange, State of California, being the Northwest quarter (NW 1/4) of the Southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of section 26, T. 33 N., R. 18 E., Range 10 West, S. B. B. & M.

Dated this 27th day of February, 1918.

Z. B. WESS,
Judge of the Superior Court.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Sarah F. Reavis, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, by the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Sarah F. Reavis, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased to file them with the necessary vouchers in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the County of Orange, State of California, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers to the said Administrator at his place of business, the office of W. P. Heathman, in the County of Orange, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated this 27th day of February, 1918.

W. P. H. REAVIS,
Administrator of the Estate of Sarah F. Reavis, deceased.

The Register's Business and Professional Directory

Wall Paper and Paint

SANTA ANA PAINT STORE, 312 West Fourth—Wall paper, glass, artists' material, agricultural chemicals, etc. Pacific 1133; Home 35.

STANDARD PAINT & PAPER CO.—J. W. Green, Mgr., 209 W. Fourth, Wall paper and paint, wholesale and retail. Pacific 1376.

Auto Supply Station

MAIN SUPPLY STATION, 7th and Main. Accessories, oils, greases and gasoline. Agent for Western Auto Supply Agency. Pacific 1578.

EAST SIDE SUPPLY STATION, Geo. Ketscher, Prop., 1045 E. Fourth St. Gasoline, oils, tires, etc. Pacific 110-W.

SHOE REPAIRING
GOODYEAR SHOE REPAIR SHOP—The best material and workmanship. Work called for and delivered. 403 W. Fourth St. Pacific 1462-W.

Auto Electric Work

ORANGE COUNTY IGNITION WORKS—Fifth and Spurgeon Sts. Willard Storage Batteries. Pacific 539; Home 6221.

Auto Tires

AUTO TIRES REPAIRED—Goodyear service station. Hoosier Vulcanizing Works, 118-120 West Third. Pacific 187.

Chicken Hatchery

ORANGE COUNTY HATCHERY, 403 E. Santa Clara Ave. Pacific 313-J. Thoroughbred baby chicks and hatching eggs.

Piano Tuning

WM. B. JENNINGS—Work guaranteed. Care Chandler Music Store. Pacific 922; Home 72.

Portrait Studios

HICKOX STUDIO, 1123 W. Fourth St.—High-grade photography and Kodak finishing. Pacific 961-J.

Nursery

KETSCHER'S NURSERY, 1045 E. Fourth St.—Walnut, orange, lemon and ornamental trees; also rose bushes and vines. Pacific 710-W.

Autos and Implements

WM. F. LUTZ & Co., 213-215 E. Fourth St.—Studebaker autos and implements, auto tops, harness, etc. Both Phones 10.

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FOR SALE
10 acres with 8 room house, good well, shade trees. Price \$3600.
6 room cottage, east front, for \$2000. Mortgage \$1700. See this good home. Close to the poly high.

FOR EXCHANGE
6 room cottage, on lot 50x255, set to fruit bearing. Price \$2000.
Want 2 to 5 acres.
A 5 room modern cottage on lot set to fruit full bearing. Price \$3000. Want small acreage.

20 acres—18 acres 2 year old cots and peaches; 2 acres vacant. Price \$7500; mortgage \$3300. Cheap water. Want house and lot Santa Ana. Wanted—\$10,000 and \$40,000 on good income property. To loan, \$200 to \$8000.

Notary—Insurance.
Both Phones
WELLS & WARNER,

For Sale—Poultry, Etc.

FOR SALE—White Leghorn eggs for hatching. Extra good laying strain. 1110 W. Washington Ave. Phone 522-J.

FOR SALE—Barrard Rock rooster or will exchange for New Zealand doe. 1621 W. 5th St.

AM MOVING—Must sell at once 50 laying pullets, feed cutter, all kinds of house hold furniture and rugs. 618 N. Baker St.

FOR SALE—California valley goat. Call after 5 p. m. Bahman's Pheasant Farm, 2216 N. Broadway.

FOR SALE—Barrard Rock eggs. \$1.00 for 15. Phone 212-W. Orange. Cor. Main and La Veta.

WE HAVE the following varieties of setting eggs. White Rocks, Barrard Rocks, Black Minorcas, Anconas, Campines, Rhode Island Reds, Brown Leghorns, Buff Leghorns and White Leghorns. These eggs are from the best of thoroughbred hens only. Orange County Hatchery, L. C. H. H. 403 E. Santa Clara. Phone 313-J.

FOR SALE—Baby chicks. Leghorns, Barrard Rocks, Rhode Island Reds, Heavy laying strains. Goodrich, 325 W. 18th. Phone 1417-M.

FOR SALE—Hatching eggs from first-class R. I. Red laying stock. 1407 West Fifth St.

FOR SALE—Baby chicks. Leghorns, Barrard Rocks, R. I. Reds; heavy laying. Goodrich, 325 West 18th. Phone 1417-M.

Eggs hatched for 2 cents each; special price by the 1000 or more. 521 East Santa Clara Ave.

FOR SALE—Orders taken for baby chicks for February from fine thoroughbred strains. Rhode Island Reds, Leghorns, \$12.50 per 100; Rocks and Reds, \$15 per 100. Fine M. B. turkey gobblers. W. H. Ralls. Phone 115-M. Orange, Cal.

H. Ralls—Livestock

FOR SALE—A 3 year old small jack; broke to ride. Lots of life and a good goer. Any boy wanting something a little better than his pal let him see this one. W. J. McCordia. Phone 493-J-3.

FOR SALE—Registered, big type Poland China pigs from prize winning stock at the P. P. I. E. Fair 1915. W. J. McCordia, So. Sullivan St. Phone 493-J-3.

FOR SALE—Fine puppies, chicken wire, wire stretcher, Barrard Rock eggs. Phone 905-R.

FOR SALE—Fine young watch dog. Phone 421-R.

FOR SALE—Rabbits, guaranteed strain. 1755 North Lincoln St.

FOR SALE—200 rabbits, 45 does, mostly New Zealand Reds. 2nd house east of Baptist church, Garden Grove.

FOR SALE—Two young goats, male and female. Phone 455-J. 1502 Spurgeon.

FOR SALE—Good ranch horse about 1200 lbs., 1 Studebaker sprinkling wagon, pump attachment, A1 condition. 533-R, Orange.

FOR SALE—Any and all kinds of hogs at Emmett's beet ranch. Delhi road, 2 1/2 miles east of Delhi.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred New Zealand Red rabbits; price from \$2 to \$5 each. O. S. Newell, 1045 Olive, Cal. Phone Orange 508-J-4.

Auto Repairing

CENTRAL GARAGE, 107 W. Third St.—Auto repairing of all kinds. Pacific 270. Residence Phone 799-W.

HAM'S AUTO REPAIR SHOP, 215 West Fifth St.—Expert Ford repair man. Pacific 754-W.

DICK AUTO STATION, 416-418 W. Fifth St.—General auto repairing. Miller carburetors, accessories, etc. Pac. 526.

Bicycles

POST CYCLERY—New and second-hand bicycles. Sundries, tires, and repairs. Quick service. 306 West Fourth. Pacific 152.

BICYCLES—P. M. Jones Sales Co., 217 West Fourth St. Bicycles and supplies of all kinds. Repairing, etc. Pacific 1354.

LUDWIG'S BIKE SHOP, 318 East Fourth St.—New and second-hand bicycles. Expert repairing. Pacific 449-J.

Machine Shops

SANTA ANA MACHINE WORKS—Dies sharpened. Steam and gas engines repaired. First and Spurgeon Sts. Pac. 165.

Transfer

RAMSEY TRANSFER, 508 East Fourth St.—Long and short hauls. Our prices get the trade. Pacific 911-W.

SANTA ANA COMMERCIAL CO., 1105 East Fourth St.—Transfer, Long and short hauls. Pacific 66; Home 366.

FOR LIGHT TRANSFER see Grindrod, 501 Spurgeon St. Sunset 628-W. Prices very reasonable.

Electric Motors

GENERAL ELECTRIC MOTORS and apparatus, pumping plant equipment. Contracts complete. M. R. Shipley, 303 N. Main. Phone 131; res., 1054-W.

Auto Wreckers, Junk Dealers
AUTO WRECKERS & JUNK DEALERS—410 E. Fourth St. Phone Pacific 183.

SANTA ANA JUNK CO., 410 W. Fifth St.—Highest prices paid for sacks, paper, metals and rubber. Pac. 1246; Home 112.

Register Result Getters

FOR SALE
50 acres of Beet and Bean land on paved road 3 miles from Santa Ana. Good six room house, barn, etc. Ample water supply. Price \$450.00 per acre.

5 acres of apples, lemons and avocados in bearing; good soil, fine location and water supply; near P. O. store, church and school. Splendid place for your home. Price \$6,000.00.

E. A. SPAULDING.

Room 235, Spurgeon Building.
Phone Pacific 257.

HOW IS THIS FOR BARGAINS?
5 acres 6 year old Valencia oranges and 5 acres vacant land. Both for \$7500.
2 houses on one big lot, 6 blocks from corner Fourth and Main Sts. Must sell quick for \$3250.

FOR EXCHANGE
10 acres Valencia oranges, 4 years old, with improvements; Anaheim district. Will take Santa Ana house as part payment. Price is right. List your property with us the day.

GRACE & QUANDT.

306 N. Sycamore. Phone 983-W.

For Rent—Miscellaneous

FOR RENT OR SALE—Ten acre ranch, planted to barley. With good house, barn and chicken houses; also well with windmill. Banning Road, south of city. Apply to Carlton H. Kerr, R. R. A, Box 277, or phone Black 843, Redlands.

FOR RENT—4 wheeled trailer; just the thing to move your furniture or stock. Will hire to any kind of machine. 25¢ per hour. W. J. McCordia. Phone 493-J-3.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartments; clean, comfortable, with or without garage. Phone 344-W or call 923 French St.

FOR RENT—Nice suite furnished rooms. Bath, screen porch, garage, entrance and garage. Phone 1251-W. 206 So. Birch.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished modern 3 room house. Bath, screen porch, garage, chicken pen. Inquire 1315 East Third street.

FOR RENT—Fine four room furnished apartment, sunny, modern; adults only. 523 E. 6th. \$15.00.

FOR RENT—6 room modern bungalow with garage. 814 So. Sycamore. Phone 132-R. Tustin.

FOR RENT—5 room modern house and one acre; fruit trees and garage. Apply 612 N. Broadway.

CARY APARTMENTS, pretty 4 room, furnished flat, with sleeping porch; clean, modern, convenient; private; \$16.00. 617 West 4th.

FOR RENT—Half of double, modern cottage at 904 E. 5th. Garage. Phone 1238-J.

FOR RENT—Pleasant rooms near Polytechnic high school, sleeping porch, electricity, gas and electricity. Pleasant home for teachers or girls evenings. Rent reasonable. Call 586-J evenings.

PALMER Apartments—For Rent—Furnished apartments, private bath, best residence section. 121 South Birch.

FOR RENT—Small apartment, \$10. 606 W. Second.

FOR RENT—825 French street, modern, well-furnished bungalow, seven rooms. Inquire at same or 602 S. Main. The owner will secure a garage in the same neighborhood if desired.

FOR RENT—CHEAP—Furnished house-keeping room; light and gas furnished. 703 Spurgeon St.

FOR RENT—Housekeeping and single rooms. The Rutters Apartments, Fourth and Spurgeon.

FOR RENT—Four furnished rooms, first floor, tree second floor, private bath. Call before 11 a. m. 412 E. Pine.

CLARK APARTMENTS—Nice 2-room furnished apartment with piano; down stairs; 21 blocks north of courthouse, off Broadway. 330 Halesworth St. Phone 1286-W.

FOR RENT—4 room apartment, unfurnished; close in; ground floor; strictly private. Call 1002 N. Broadway, or Phone 496-J.

For Sale—Automobiles

FIVE FORD BARGAINS
1912 Touring car \$190
1913 Touring car \$250
1914 Touring car \$250
1914 Touring car \$250
S. E. Goode, 316 W. 5th St. 754-W.

FOR SALE—Ford roadster, mechanically perfect; body fair. \$225 cash. Will take Liberty Bonds. Phone 563-M. 825 Orange Ave. Lamar.

FOR SALE—Ford touring car in good condition, \$250.00 cash; 11 ton Federal truck, \$950.00. Terms: 1 to 60 days. \$50.00 cash. 731 So. Birch. Phone 1156-R.

FOR SALE—1916 Ford touring car, good running order; overhauled; shock absorbers. Yale switch; run 10,000 miles; \$350. 726 South Spurgeon St.

FOR SALE—The best Ford bargain of the year; owner going east. See A. J. Lashy, 315 East 17th.

FOR SALE—Ford panel body delivery car, neat looking; runs good. Phone 137.

FOR SALE—Light 5 passenger touring car, A1 condition. Sell at big sacrifice if taken at once. 121 South Palm St. Anaheim.

FOR SALE—An Overland touring car, cheap. Phone 430-R-1.

TWO STUDEBAKERS, one a roadster. Ask O. A. Haley, corner 5th and Bush.

ONE BUICK, looks like new. See O. A. Haley.

FOR SALE—One Oldsmobile, excellent shape. Call 121 E. Fifth.

ONE KISSEL KAR, only \$450. See O. A. Haley.

FOR SALE—International truck, 1500 pounds; good shape. Call Bay Transfer Co., Orange.

WANTED—Ford or light car for two lots of mail. Paved street. Huntington Beach. Night and day. L. A. Stevenson, 220 Ninth St., Huntington Beach, Cal.

For Exchange

FOR EXCHANGE—Young Jersey cow for good, young heifer. G. Fox 11, Register.

FOR EXCHANGE—Pasadena corner lot, 50x175, east front, mountain view. \$80. What have you? Sarah Parish, Harper, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—Large lot with 2 houses (value \$2800) in Los Angeles, for \$800 cash and small place in Santa Ana, or will take all cash. For particulars phone Santa Ana 959-J.

FOR EXCHANGE—Oregon stock ranch, 800 acres, heavy crop, fine ranch, price \$25,000. Want city or country property. Owner, L. E. Leatherman, Langwell Valley, Oregon.

Register Result Getters

Health—Wealth Happiness

In this superb combination—Fruit, Stock and Resort Home. 160 acres, near famous Hood River, Oregon; good buildings; finest of water. Aged owner must remain with relatives and authorizes us to deal it. If you want something out of the ordinary at small cost. Will consider Orange County City or Country.

Harris Bros.

504 North Main. Both Phones.

FOR SALE

30 acres fine beet or bean land, located on boulevard two miles from town. Price \$11,000.

5 acres, all to bearing walnuts and oranges. Modern 8 room house, barn, etc. Good location. Price \$10,000.

1 1/2 acres all in bearing Valencias. Modern 6 room bungalow. Good location. Close in. Price \$5000.

JOSEPH DIMUKES

333 Spurgeon Building.

For Sale—City Property

I AM GOING TO SELL
my home at a great sacrifice so if you want a splendid piece of property at an extremely low figure, call at 1032 North Ross street and inspect my home place for which I have been asking \$800.

Six large rooms and garage, on lot 75 foot front on Ross (paved street) with 135 feet on Lime street.

\$3750 Takes This Fine Home
You will have to hurry if you want to get this nice home place. Plenty of space to build four or five room cottage facing Lime street.

Phone 520 or Call at 1032 N. Ross St.

FOR SALE—My home southwest part. Good house, pleasant location, 3 acre ground; walnuts and fruit all kind bearing. Will sacrifice for quick sale. P. Box 2, Register.

COMPLETELY modern, 6 room bungalow, nearly new, garage, cement driveway; all for \$2250; terms, Shaw & Russell.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Modern six room bungalow, 818 So. Main, Santa Ana. Address Louis Feld, 555 West 56th St., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—Two great big shops on E. Birch. A 6 room modern bungalow home, \$2900. Another 5 room bungalow for \$2700. Let us show you. Shaw & Russell.

LOS ANGELES 3 story brick apt. house, income \$600 mo. Price \$75,000; mortgage \$25,000. Want cash, ranch, etc. Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles. 6084.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Vacant lot. What have you? Also furnished rooms for rent. 194 West Third.

For Sale—Country Property

20 Acres Van Nuys, \$175
8 acre perfect garden soil, balance uncultivated second bottom land. Only 5 miles from Van Nuys, on fine road; a shop. See R. D. Thinkpaw, 638 L. N. Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles. 6084.

3 ACRE tract to trade for residence property. Tract to trade for residence property; cheap farm lands with plenty of water. A lot or more.

2 tract, 1/2 acre, room house, for smaller property. Jackson Realty Co., 301 North Broadway.

ONE ACRE Valencias, 4 years old. Five room house. Located near Orange. Price \$2750. \$100 cash. Balance \$20 monthly. Or exchange for Los Angeles or Santa Ana property or Tulare county land. Shaw & Russell. Phone 532.

SACRIFICE FOR CASH—Almost 4 acres, half bearing walnuts; dandy truck ranch in town. Paved ready to crop. Best cash offer takes it. 808 Parton St.

GOOD INCOME property, trade for Santa Ana residence; bargain! furnishes home and living. Jackson Realty Co., 301 North Broadway.

FOR SALE—10 or 20 acre walnut ranch, on McClay St. Very low price. G. Cole, office 215 N. Main. Phone 387-J.

FOR SALE—22 acre tract in Pomona, on State Highway, paved and lighted boulevard. Fifteen minutes' walk from P.O. Surrounded by large rose hedge. Double water stock, also city water. Good buildings. This property is perfect in every way. Must be sold and will be priced much below value. Will call. Address P. O. Box 1233, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—Do you know the price of alfalfa, milo maize and kafir corn today? Alfalfa land that produces eight to ten tons per acre; I can sell at \$25 to \$45 per acre and tend the time of paying over a period of ten to twenty-five years; write or call to R. Burth, 829 Story Bldg., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—10 acres, clear best early orange and olive land on paved boulevard, Tulare County, Porterville-Lindsay district; improved with cottage and fine electrical pumping plant; plenty of water. Owner, C. Maass, 1938 Los Angeles St., Los Angeles.

IMPERIAL VALLEY ALFALFA RANCH for sale; 40 acres, 8 fields, trees, house; \$800 year rent guaranteed. W. E. Hancock, El Centro, Cal.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Must dispose of my 7 acres, improved, at Payette, Idaho; for cash or property. What have you to offer? Also good team, wagon and harness. Owner, 1237 West Fourth. Phone 1448-J.

FOR SALE—Five acres, Hemet Valley; full water rights; set to apricots and walnuts, light bearing; house, 2 mile to P. O. and canneries. Little more for equity than returns from crop this season. Owner not a resident. Phil Kratz, 2207 E. Anaheim St., Long Beach, Cal.

TEN ACRES—Olives, oranges, grapefruit, cherries and small fruit. Water piped to every acre; comfortable 3 room house; beautiful location; deep, sandy loam; good roads; 3 miles from Sacramento; price \$2750. Chas. J. Crowder Co., P. O. Box 530, Chico, Cal.

FOR SALE—Farm lands; wheat, beet, water, vegetables, cattle and alfalfa lands; all sizes, scattered everywhere; some of the best in San Fernando Valley with Artesian water; close to Los Angeles country homes at attractive prices and terms. That is all we deal in. Try us; others have; ask them: A. R. Davis & Co., 937-24 Security Bldg., Los Angeles, Calif. Phones: F 6754; Main 479.

FOR SALE—SOME FOR EXCHANGE. Choicest Orange, Lemon and Walnut groves in Orange county. Big income groves. C. B. BERGER CO., Anaheim, Cal.

Money to Loan

TO LOAN—\$3000 on gilt-edged ranch property. Address E. Box 50, Register.

MONEY TO LOAN on ranch property 6% per cent interest. See D. G. Cole, 613 Main St.

WANTED—Woman wants washing, ironing or housecleaning by the day. Phone 443-J.

Life in the Training Camps, Subject Paper by Perkins

The following are extracts from a paper read by A. J. Perkins at a meeting of the Present Day Club recently, his subject being "Life in the Training Camps."

Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Present Day Club: Injustice and oppression continued from generation to generation may cause the fear of it to become an obsession long after its probability has disappeared.

Like a well-known cereal, "there's a reason" why the American people have not in the past taken kindly to a standing army. Armies have so often been used by kings to cram down people's throats either a religion or a government that was distasteful to them that a fear of soldiers in large masses has persisted.

As an illustration of this inherited instinct of revolt against the instrument of tyranny let us consider the story of Parson Caldwell of the American revolution. His ancestors were French Huguenots who fled from France to Scotland during the persecution following the revocation of the Edict of Nantes; here they were not safe but obliged again to flee from Claverhouse's bloody troopers to Ireland; there again conditions were similar and Caldwell's parents came to America.

It is not surprising that we find the son a chaplain in the American army, but religious activity alone did not satisfy him, and, being popular among the people, he gathered supplies for the army and became a deputy quartermaster-general with the initials of his office over his tent entrance. A friend humorously decided that D.Q.M.G. stood for Devilish Queer Minister of the Gospel. While away collecting supplies, the Hessians burned his house and murdered his wife and children. He may have been "queer" but Bret Harte in his poem declares that you or I would have done as he did at the battle of Springfield, where he fought instead of prayed, and tearing up hymn books for gun wadding, cried, "Put Watts into 'em!" Boys, give 'em Watts!"

So if we ponder over the world's history from the days of the Roman Praetorian Guards down through the bloody slaughter commanded by the Duke of Alva in the Low Countries, Oliver Cromwell in Ireland, Col. Kirk and his Lambs in the west of England, it is apparent how this fear could be instilled. As late as the end of the Civil War, my father tells me that when the Federal Army assembled in Washington for a grand review and to be mustered out, there were grave doubts as to whether this large body of men would peacefully return to their homes and commit no excesses. Thus it has come about that with a population of a hundred million people we had a regular army of 75,000 men—that is to say, three-fourths of a soldier to every thousand people.

Because of the dreaded power of an army and because of the burden of its maintenance which keeps many a small country poverty stricken, we have kept the equipment of years ago while becoming a first rate world power with colonies and dependencies whose claim upon us is tremendous. We occupy seven per cent of the world's area, have six per cent of its population and own thirty per cent of its wealth.

To compare big things with small, how can we in Santa Ana expect nine city policemen to cover efficiently a territory of approximately nine square miles, and is it any wonder that the nightly burglar and daily speeder get away with it? Or can a sheriff and two or three deputies be expected to cover properly the whole county of about 780 square miles.

Now, when war was declared on Germany and we were forced to jump from our small constabulary of 75,000 to a proposed force of a couple of million men it sure was some proposition.

SCHOOL GIRL TELLS OTHERS

How They Can Find Relief From Periodic Sufferings.

Nashua, N. H.—"I am nineteen years old and every month for two years I had such pains that I could not go to school and have to leave home and have to leave school. I had such pain I did not know what to do with myself and tried so many remedies that were of no use. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the newspapers and decided to try it, and that is how I found relief from pain and feel so much better than I use to. When I hear of any girl suffering as I did I tell them how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me."—DELINA MARTIN, 29 Bowlers St., Nashua, N. H.



Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotic or harmful drugs, therefore is a perfectly safe remedy to give your daughter, who suffers from such painful periods as did Miss Martin.

The reason so many girls write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for advice, is because from their 40 years experience they have a store of knowledge which is invariably helpful.

We specialize on watch and clock repairing.

Nothing Else Take your timepiece to a specialist.

Mel Smith 301 North Main.

tion. Congress had to chew the rag a while before they had the resolution to pass the resolution and since then it has taken a lot more resolution to carry out the details of the resolution.

This great army has been made up first from the small nucleus of regulars, second the National Guard, composed of volunteer militia and such conscripted men as was needed to make up their full complement, and third, the National Army, composed of volunteer and conscripted men.

To provide living and working accommodations for a force of more than a million men necessitated the construction at different points throughout the United States of some thirty-two cantonments or camps.

Properly speaking, a "cantonment" is an assembly of soldiers housed in board houses like those at the Presidio at San Francisco, for example, in distinction from an ordinary camp where they live in tents, as, for example, at Camp Kearney. Congress passed the necessary bill in June and in order to have the cantonments ready for use when the men were ready to occupy them, they must be done by September.

These military cities located in different parts of the country afforded all kinds of physical conditions. In some places the ground was flat, in others hilly and in others it had to be drained.

Camp Shelby, somewhere in Mississippi, covers an area equal to twelve good sized farms, and was a forest; 180,000 stumps had to be taken out before the city of 50,000 soldiers could be built.

Imagine the erection of warehouses, hospitals, administration buildings with hundreds of miles of plumbing and water supply pipes.

At one camp there is a pumping capacity of four million gallons of water per day carried through twenty-eight miles of pipe to ten thousand soldiers and faucets. The equipment includes 2500 carloads of heating stoves and 350 cars of cooking ranges; also bakeries capable of turning out forty thousand loaves of bread in a day.

Quick Construction Work And yet these cities were constructed with unequal speed because of system and standardization of work. At Camp Devens, in Massachusetts, the 1728 buildings composing the cantonment were put up in an average time of forty minutes each. The twenty thousand doors and seventy thousand windows were constructed in mills throughout the country and all the sawing was accomplished with twenty portable sawmills instead of by hand. Motor trucks transferred the lumber from cars to mill and from mill to camp in record time.

The question of labor was fixed by taking union prices and union rules in each locality and going by them, and strikes were eliminated, notwithstanding as many as 160,000 men were working on the cantonments at one time. An average fee for the work of building turned out to be 2.93 per cent, or about one-fourth the usual charge, patriotism having figured largely in the matter just as religious zeal did in the construction of the Santa Ana revival tabernacle.

Soon after the close of the Spanish war the writer had some conversation with a New Jersey medical man who had been a volunteer. He told me some very revolting tales as to army sanitation, how the kitchen would be located near and to the leeward of the open sanitation pits and infested with innumerable flies, so that it was no wonder to me that the greatest mortality in that war came not from wounds but from typhoid fever.

An immense advance has been made in army sanitation. When I visited the Presidio I was pleased to see that the cantonment was provided with sanitary plumbing that rivaled that of first class hotels. And I may say that an equal advance has been made by the surgeons in the care of wounds. Years ago I visited in Washington a museum which had hundreds of wax models of arms and legs operated on in the Civil War, and rough surgery, with little knowledge of infection and antiseptics had left some terribly gruesome mementoes of suppuration and gangrene; but today General Gorgas, our surgeon general, tells us that the French doctors lose only two per cent of their wounded against the five per cent average of the Civil War, and it is comforting to know that out of three million wounded men handled in the hospitals during the three years of the war there have been only 292 deaths, or about one in ten thousand. Such has been the marvelous progress of modern surgical methods.

There are about five grand sections of the army service, viz.: infantry, artillery, aerial camp where the aviators are trained, naval militia (more familiarly known as marines), and depot brigade which last are mounted police used for guarding storehouses, bridges, railroads, etc.

This has been a war in which we have very little about cavalry as it has been largely trench warfare and but little open field work. Moreover, the work of scouting has been done by aeroplanes—cloud cavalry, as they are called—much more efficiently and quickly than it was ever done by a force of cavalry.

So that while we will likely have a certain amount of cavalry, their work is minimized. There are, however, mentioned also the branches of the service mentioned, also training schools for departments of the army not fully as known by the public but fully as important as those that have to do directly with fighting. I mean the mechanical training camp, where the repair of cannon, machine guns, auto trucks, automobiles, etc., is learned, and the quartermaster's department, in which is handled the supply, distribution and preparation of the enormous amount of food necessary to keep the army in health and spirits.

handled by one man to fire and two to carry ammunition, and other qualities indicating wonderful progress in destructive efficiency; also practice in trench throwing, trench fighting and bayonet fighting. I hear it said that the soldiers at the front have learned to prefer a grenade to a rifle and esteem the rifle chiefly for the bayonet at its muzzle.

It is the wholesale slaughter of the machine gun that makes the rifle obsolete.

The training camps have been now in operation long enough so that we civilians begin to see their effect upon the recruits in improved discipline, health and bearing so evident when returning on leave of absence.

These good qualities are contagious among civilians and if you don't believe it, watch how the people straighten up and throw out the chest when a soldier with military bearing passes.

A recent editorial of the Register well expresses the effect, and I quote in part as follows:

"ROTTERN DISCIPLINE"

"One of the war stories going the rounds is of the soldier boy home on furlough from one of the training camps who watched his father's efforts to get small brother to do one of his daily chores. First the father requested, then cajoled, and ended by bribing the youngster to do his duty.

"The discipline in this house is certainly rotten!" exclaimed the soldier.

The boys home on short leaves after a few months of army discipline are spreading the tidings of cleanliness, discipline, self-control. Not only the boys who are in active training are getting the benefit. They are raising the ideals of all their fellows.

"In war and peace, in business and at home, wherever teamwork is needed, wherever self-control and self-respect are worth acquiring and holding fast, there is the necessity for obedience to authority.

"Servile and fearful obedience have no place in a democracy. But the cheerful acquiescence which means that every man in the army, every employee in a business, every member or part for the good of all—that must be learned by every American."

I believe my auditors will agree with the sentiment expressed by our paper and not make the unfortunate mistake some people have of confusing discipline, so needed by the average American, with rampant militarism of murderous intent which by no means is a sequence of military training. Rudyard Kipling has the right thought when he wrote the following verse:

"It ain't the guns nor armament Nor the funds that they can pay, But the close cooperation That makes them win the day.

It ain't the individuals Nor the army as a whole, But the everlasting teamwork Of every bloomin' soul."

Some of you have probably seen the circular issued by the Assistant Secretary of the Navy in which he states the need of lenses, binoculars and spy glasses for the use of the Navy in their campaign against the submarines and asks citizens to aid the Navy by contributing these aids to the watchful eyes of the naval lookouts. Now, in the preparation of this paper it is not so easy to get unusual and firsthand information because I am not on the ground and because there are army regulations against too much publicity in certain features by a civilian. So I have requisitioned the eyes of various soldier and civilian friends and now show you life in the training camps through their eyes.

A cousin of mine visited the camp at Rockford, Ill., and I asked him to write me on some one thing that impressed him. He writes as follows:

Respect for Flag

You suggest that perhaps I might give you some suitable material for your paper before the Present Day Club. I feel incapable of that entirely, but in my crude way wish to express a thought, rather an observation, when visiting the cantonment at Rockford. Generally speaking, whenever we travelled we saw the Stars and Stripes generously displayed, imprudently so in some cases, such as decorating auto hoods and the like, degraded and dirty sometimes, altogether unfitting for the occasion, it seemed to me.

Now, the day I visited Camp Grant the first time, after getting back home it occurred to me that I did not see a SINGLE FLAG upon the grounds. Speaking of the circumstance to friends, it was conceded as possibly true, since there is not allowed but "one flag" on the grounds, and that is flying from a large pole suitably located, and I had passed directly under it, but my attention was otherwise engaged when we passed. But, mind you, all the boys in camp, when passing that flag, stand at attention. It is respected.

This leads me to reflect somewhat in regard to our manner of flag display. Ought it not to be done in more of a sacred manner? The old saying, "Familiarity breeds contempt," seems to my mind, to apply in this as much as other things, and by all means do not display it so indiscreetly as is often done. It all leads me to wonder whether "true loyalty" to our government is always present in flag display, more than some other false representations.

GRANDMOTHER KNEW

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30c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50.



in civil affairs. God bless our flag.

A Word From Alan Revill

Our good friend Alan Revill, instead of fingering organ keys, now fingers the trigger of a gun, and instead of organ pipe stops he is learning to control the stop of a horse. Here is what he has to say for himself:

"I am sorry to say that your letter arrived while I was away in Tacoma on duty for two weeks and so my mail accumulated during my absence. Since coming back on Monday we have been at rifle practice on the range from 5 a. m. to 6 p. m. and so dead tired that correspondence and everything else practically was given up in exchange for bed and sleep, for 5 o'clock comes desperately soon, so I fear my letter will be too late to be practical.

"Our work is largely cavalry drill and guard work in Camp Lewis, Tacoma and Olympia and occasionally infantry drill. I had my first experience with a rifle this week. We are using the British Lee-Enfield—an American model I should say—bored to fit the British ammunition. My gun is a dandy—true as can be and no kick. I made 135 out of 175 the first try, slow fire, but today on rapid fire at 100, 200, 300-yard ranges only 17 out of a possible 40. My best was 7 out of 10 shots in a minute at 100 yards, shooting at a target the size and shape of a man's head and shoulders looking over a trench—a mighty small thing at 100 yards.

"We, or rather I, spend many of my evenings at the Hostess House—a very comfortable building, put up by the Y. W. C. A., comfortably furnished with real chairs and a gorgeous open fireplace which during the cold evenings is most welcome; a grand piano, which I frequently and joyously pound, and a separate smoking room and cafeteria, where real luxuries such as butter and cow's milk, unknown in our barracks, may be bought.

"We have had a good deal of rain since I came here. December gave us 15.06 inches, though now we have had two falls of snow and the last two days have been frosty and clear.

"An enforced journey to France occupies the immediate horizon where our duties promise to be various, from guarding railroads and communication trenches to scouting parties and billeting of men.

"If God is willing I should return I expect I shall be able to give you many interesting incidents and details, and if I should not, you can tell everyone that Santa Ana and my friends there hold and have held the warmest and biggest portion of my heart and love."

The "hostess houses" of which Revill speaks are provided by the Y. W. C. A. and presided over by matronly women, affording an excellent and suitable place where the soldiers may meet their lady relatives and friends. I visited such a one at Camp Kearney and found it deservedly popular.

It has been said that the morale of an army is the chief factor in its success. It is a state of mind including courage, confidence and zeal. Napoleon declared that military efficiency is based, first, on numbers, second, armament, third, technical training, and fourth, morale, and of these, morale is three-fourths of the whole. The morale of our student soldiers is splendid.

Tested Out Y. M. C. A.

Years ago, in times of peace, I personally tested out the Y. M. C. A. while at school in Boston as a faithful member of its gymnasium. Later as a traveling man I stopped at various Y. M. C. A.'s throughout the eastern United States and later still as a round-the-world traveler used Y. M. C. A.'s in the Orient most advantageously.

Very few of us realized that in the Japanese-Russian war, the Y. M. C. A. maintained eleven posts in Korea and Manchuria so admirably as to receive a special letter of commendation from the Minister of War, Terauchi. When we had our unpleasantness along the Mexican border and our soldiers were called on to endure heat, dust, monotonous waiting, homesickness, they learned to appreciate the work of the Y. M. C. A. and advertised it in their home letters.

And now its work has enlarged enormously and it is a matter of common knowledge what is being done for our soldiers at home and abroad by the Y. M. C. A. as well as for those of our allies.

In a democratic army where the men come from all walks of life and where it may often be true that the military rank of two given men may be the reverse of their standing in civil life, it is essential that there shall be loyalty to officers, a sinking of petty jealousies and a full understanding of what they are there for.

The Y. M. C. A. is a great help, and by means of lectures and moving pictures informs the soldier of the terrible cruelties and injustices that have been heaped upon innocent and weaker nations by the German lust for power and shows him conclusively why we are in the war.

In conclusion, it is my fervent hope that this war which is teaching us so many useful lessons may through the example of the Y. M. C. A. teach us at home to rise from the pettiness of denominational differences to a height of practical Christianity which seeks to make better any and every man, no matter what his creed.

—W. S. S.—

CITRUS ASSOCIATION PACKING HOUSE IS NEAR COMPLETION

GARDEN GROVE, March 27.—The Garden Grove Citrus Association house is nearing completion. The installation of machinery will commence about April 1, and will be completed in ten or fifteen days. The house will be equipped with modern citrus machinery.

With the outlook for high prices for Valencia oranges, growers of this association will reap a harvest this year.

—W. S. S.—

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HUNTINGTON BEACH

BEACH BUDGET OF NEWS NOTES

HUNTINGTON BEACH, March 27. The Chamber of Commerce will hold its regular monthly meeting Friday evening at 7:30. There are several questions up for discussion and a good attendance is desired.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. George of Whittier were callers at the beach Sunday.

A. M. Nolder of Long Beach was shaking hands with old friends here Monday.

J. A. McGowan, father of John McGowan and who has been in feeble health for some time, was taken to the Santa Ana Hospital Monday.

W. E. Evans of Los Angeles and M. B. Stearns of Santa Ana, were in the city Tuesday on business. Mr. Evans is a son-in-law of Mr. Stearns.

Miss Carol L. Van Nuy of Pasadena is visiting with her cousin, Mrs. R. L. McKee, this week.

Mrs. Bohner, mother of Carl Bohner of 1111 Orange avenue, and Miss Gladys Smith, a cousin of Mr. Bohner, left Tuesday morning for Sterling, Colo., where they will make their future home.

Mr. Breckenridge is very feeble, having had two strokes of paralysis recently. He was a great lover of fishing and spent a goodly portion of his time on the pier.

City Marshal John Tinsley was in Long Beach Tuesday on official business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Catching returned home from Visalia Monday, where the former has been working at carpentering for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Green of Aurora, Neb., visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Howell over the week end. They are spending the winter in Southern California.

The grammar school will have a spring vacation from March 29 to April 8. The school election is Friday from 1 to 6 p. m.

John L. Wyatt, who has been in the dry goods business here for the past three years, is moving his entire stock of goods to Zafaria, where he will go into business.

Garden Seeds

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